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SAYS NEW RAILROADS WOULD REDUCE HIGH COST OF LIVING

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The railroad view of what is the matter with the country's transportation facilities was presented to the joint congressional investigating committee today by Alfred P. Thon, counsel for the railway executive's advisory committee. Mr. Thon, chosen as the first spokesman for the roads when the committee decided to begin its inquiry by hearing their side of the case, blamed the present system of "corrective" regulation, divided between the state and federal

governments, for most of the problems troubling the public and the carriers, and appealed for a discussion of necessary changes "not upon any mere theory or jealousy as to the distribution of governmental power, but upon the large issue of what public interest requires."

To Reduce Cost of Living
Rates, Mr. Thon declared, are less important to public interest than "cer-

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SANTE FE CASE ON ADAMSON LAW DELAYED

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 23.—Counsel in conference over the Adamson law cases today agreed to request that the Santa Fe case, which was to have come up today in the United States district court in Kansas City, Kas., be postponed until tomorrow.

The conference, it was stated authoritatively, was as to whether the record of the case of Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf, appealed to the supreme court yesterday, could be made to cover the problems of all railroads or whether one or two additional test cases should be brought.

Judge Pollock agreed to the postponement.

TO TEST LAW
WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Railroad lawyers and Attorney General Gregory continued today their conferences in an attempt to agree on one suit involving test of the Adamson act, to press for early consideration by the supreme court. The difficulty in reaching an agreement arose mainly, it is believed, from the anxiety of the railroad representatives to pick from the many cases pending in federal courts one covering typical conditions faced by all roads.

Railroad lawyers thought the Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe case, set for hearing today at Kansas City, involving all points at issue, better than any other, but department of justice officials were inclined to favor the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf case in which federal Judge Hook at Kansas City yesterday held the Adamson act unconstitutional.

Selection of a test case would relieve the department from deterring a multitude of suits filed, as it is understood all railroads agreed not to press individual suits or institute new actions pending decision in the test case.

COMMISSION HOLDS MEETING
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The Adamson law commission, appointed by President Wilson to investigate the operations of the act, held its first meeting today and conferred with more than a dozen railroad executives for the announced purpose of discussing with them informally the methods to be used in the investigation. The commission will hold a similar conference with the heads of the railroad brotherhoods later.

FLOCK OF TURKEYS FOR PRESIDENT WILSON

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—President Wilson spends Thanksgiving day at the White House with members of his family. The annual flock of turkeys, "raised especially for the president," has already begun to arrive. One will be selected for the White House table and the others, according to custom, probably will be sent to hospitals or for distribution among the poor. On the grate of one turkey which came from Oklahoma, railroad men had written messages such as "how about the high cost of living?" and "remember the 8-hour day."

CHALIFOUX'S
ON THE SQUARE

"Fifteen years before," said the big contractor, "I was kicked out of the country grocery because I persisted in spending my time making miniature houses out of old boxes and barrels. I said to myself: 'I can build houses and I will, and I did.' We have set this phrase before every one of our employees and ourselves too, to memorize and act upon. 'I can and I will' means here that whatever is possible for us to do to make this store, its stocks, its employees and its service more perfect we will if we can."

THE WAY OF THE TRANSGRESSOR IS HARD

"I have a broken leg, Your Honor, and cannot work, and that is why I am not supporting my children," so spoke Clarence James when arraigned before Judge Enright on a complaint charging him with neglect to provide proper support for his two minor children, at this morning's session of the police court.

Mrs. James testified that she has two boys, 2 and 4 years old, respectively, and that her husband has given her \$125 since the first of November. She said despite the fact that her husband is lame he can work and does occasionally but spends his money on himself. James, who walks with the aid of a cane, informed the court he broke his left leg two years ago and has been unable to work since then. He said he is trying to save enough money to go to the hospital for special treatment. In cross-examination he admitted doing a little work once in awhile, but he said he needs the money he earns to defray future hospital bills. After reviewing the case, the judge ordered him to keep away from his wife and children, to the support of his children. He was given a suspended sentence of five months to the house of correction.

Frank C. Landon was also arraigned on a charge of non-support of his wife who testified that her husband spends all he earns on "booze," and she informed the court she does not care for any support on the part of her husband providing he keeps away from the city and got away with a suspended sentence of five months to the house of correction.

Minimum Fine
Just because his automobile was allowed to stand in front of his store after sunset without lights on, Benjamin Rothberg was this morning fined \$2. The defendant entered a plea of not guilty, saying the lights were on, but were blown out by the wind. The court said this was no excuse and imposed the fine.

Doyle-Miner's, Lincoln Hall, tonight.

FREE ENTERTAINMENT AT NORMAL SCHOOL

There is much interest in the coming of Prof. Copeland of Harvard to the Normal school tomorrow, Friday afternoon. He is one of the very best dramatic readers in the country today and his readings from Kipling will undoubtedly be a great treat. The doors will close at 4:15 p. m. so as not to disturb the meeting after it opens. Those who wish to hear Prof. Copeland are therefore requested to be seated before that hour.

This entertainment is free to the public and is one of many such provided by Principal Mahoney who is doing much to extend the scope and usefulness of the school.

In the evening, that is tomorrow evening, the Normal school girls will conduct a social party at the school for their personal friends.

77,453 TICKETS FOR THE HARVARD-YALE GAME

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 23.—A total of 77,453 tickets have been sent out for the Yale-Harvard football game here next Saturday of which number 28,171 have been taken by Harvard. It was announced today by the Yale ticket office. The total also includes 244 press and 350 side-line tickets. Two years ago 68,042 persons saw the Blue and Crimson classic here.

Hotel Napoli
Friend St., Boston
Table D'Hotel Lunch, 11 to 2.....50c
Table D'Hotel Dinner, 5 to 9.....75c
Daily Combinations.....45c
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Open Till Midnight

GREECE REFUSES TO COMPLY WITH THE ALLIES' DEMANDS

LONDON, Nov. 23, 1 p. m.—The Greek government has refused to comply with the demand of the entente allies for the surrender of part of its supplies of arms and ammunition. Reuter's Athens correspondent cables. The despatch follows:

"The Greek government has refused the demands of Vice-Admiral Du Fourmet that Greece surrender 18 field batteries, 16 batteries of mountain artillery with one thousand shells for

each, 40,000 Mannlichers, with 220 cartridges each, 140 machine guns with ammunition and 50 motor vans.

"Referring to Admiral Du Fourmet's contention that the cession of war material to the Bulgarians and Germans had disturbed the equilibrium, the government replied that although it does not desire to enter into the details of that operation it must point out that the cabinet then in power could not approve of resistance to the central powers without abandoning

neutrality, but duly protested. It also contends that the guns already taken by the entente are modern, while those taken by Bulgaria were obsolete.

"The reply concludes that the surrender of war material for financial compensation or otherwise would constitute a flagrant violation of neutrality and moreover that public opinion would not admit of the forces of Greece being so neutralized as to be unable to defend her vital interests if these were endangered.

HEARING ON SPALDING ESTATE HELD TODAY

A hearing was held by Judge Keating in the civil session of superior court in the local court house this forenoon, in the case of John F. Sawyer, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Sarah R. Spalding vs. the Old Lowell National bank, Frank E. Dunbar and Arthur C. Spalding appeared for the plaintiff and

James J. Kerwin and James C. Reilly for the defense.

Prior to the calling of the case, which was only argued by the attorneys, all jurors were excused until Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

John F. Sawyer, in his declaration.

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WOULD GIVE WORK TO LOCAL CONTRACTORS

BOARD OF TRADE ADOPTS STRAD- DLING RESOLUTION ON HIGH SCHOOL JOB

Relative to the petition of local builders, contractors and members of allied crafts that contracts and labor on the high school building be given to Lowell contractors and workers, Mayor O'Donnell has received the following letter from the board of trade:

Nov. 21, 1916.

Hon. James E. O'Donnell, Mayor, City of Lowell.

Dear Sir: The directors of the Lowell board of trade unanimously voted at its regular meeting held Nov. 21 to adopt the following resolution:

Resolved, That we recommend to the municipal council the advisability of giving preference to Lowell contractors in the work of constructing the new high school building, provided that such action may be consistent with the best interests of the city of Lowell.

Trusting this will have your serious consideration, I am,

Respectfully yours,

John H. Murphy,

Executive Secretary.

The municipal council has granted a hearing to those interested in this matter Friday evening at 8 o'clock at city hall, and a large representation

of builders and allied trades is anticipated.

Accident Board

Notification has been given that Frank E. Donehue of the industrial accident board will give a hearing Dec. 9 at 10 a. m. in the case of James Gennell who was employed by the Hamilton Mfg. Co. and insured by the Employees' Liability Assurance Corporation.

Payroll

The weekly payroll which is payable tomorrow is \$18,676.80, which does not deviate much from the average for the year. It is several hundred dollars less than last week because of the fact that the precinct officers' compensation figured in the last payroll.

Building Permits

Among the permits recently issued are: Manuel C. Labao, dwelling at 61 Corbett street, estimated cost, \$500; Andrew F. Roache, three-family dwelling at 24 Ash street, cost \$800; and James A. Brien, two-family dwelling at 179-181 Princeton street, \$3500.

INCREASE IN WAGES
A notice was posted in the Talbot mills at North Billerica, yesterday, announcing that an increase in wages in all departments would go into effect beginning December 4. The amount of the increase is not stated. This is the third advance in pay granted the employees of the Talbot mills in the past two years.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

MAN WHO PUT POISON IN SOUP ARRESTED

SPAUDLING, Neb., Nov. 23.—A man who, the town marshal believes, answers the description of Jean Cronos, wanted in Chicago on charges of having poisoned soup served at a banquet tendered there in honor of Archbishop Mundelein, is under arrest here. About 200 persons attended the Chicago banquet and most of them were made ill. Cronos is accused of having poisoned the soup in furtherance of anarchistic ideas.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Jean Cronos, a former cook of the University club of Chicago, who is wanted in connection with the poisoning of 200 guests at a banquet tendered Archbishop Mundelein of this city, has been arrested in Spaulding, Neb., according to a telegram received by the local police today.

SUPERIOR COURT

Jury Waived Session Presided Over By Judge Callahan Today—Decision in Sand Case

Judge Callahan, presiding in the jury waived session of superior court in the local court house, gave a hearing today to the case of Edward F. Treat of Medford vs. Charles F. David of Avon. As Mr. David has passed away since the case was brought, the answer was made by Sarah L. David, executrix of the estate of Charles F. David. Elbridge R. Anderson and Horace Guild appeared for the complainant and Fred P. Carr for the respondent.

Mr. Treat is attempting to have returned to him the sum of \$2500 which he claims he paid for 25 shares in the Medford Publishing Co. of Medford. He alleges that he purchased the shares in the company in consequence of representations made by the late Mr. David.

The Medford Publishing Co. published a weekly newspaper known as the Medford Mercury. It is claimed that Charles David owned shares in the company and on March 1, 1913, was desirous of selling 25 of the shares. Mr. Treat says that he bought the shares on March 17, 1913.

He testified that he purchased the shares on reliance of representations as to the value of the machinery in the newspaper plant and the circulation of the paper. He says that the stock and machinery are of little or no value and petitions that an injunction be issued until further order of the court, restraining the respondent from selling, assigning, transferring or parting with the shares of the Medford Publishing Co.

The respondent's answer is that Mr. Treat, a newspaper man, agreed to take up the duties of conducting the business of the paper during Mr. David's illness and that he never owned more than one share of the capital stock of the company.

Ten Cents a Load

Judge Callahan has made his decision in the case of Goodwin vs. the town of Sherborn which was tried Monday and Tuesday. Plaintiff sued for \$1000 for 4000 loads of sand taken by the town for repaving a highway. The court awarded the defendant 10 cents a load for 50 loads of sand.

VICTIM OF FOOTBALL GAME

ELGIN, Ill., Nov. 23.—Cyril Pritchard, 17 years old, died today after a surgical operation to remove a blood clot on the brain resulting from an accident in a high school football game Nov. 11.

SAVE MONEY

Ladies, learn to cut and design your clothes. Our method is quickest, easiest and best. Satisfaction guaranteed. Sookiklan School, Room 218 Bradley Bldg., Central St.

HERE'S AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE DOPISTS TO DOPE AND HOPE

Speculation is rife in local political circles as to the outcome of the coming municipal election, Dec. 12, and the surprises of the nominations are quoted to offset anything like a positive prediction by any of the candidates or their friends. It is also being said freely that some of the successful candidates drew practically their full voting strength in the nominations and that a great deal depends on the way the support of defeated candidates will swing. The recent vote was more non-partisan than in any campaign of recent years and the consensus of opinion seems to be that the election vote will be decided by the personal popularity of the respective candidates and by any alliances that may be made between them. In this connection a comparison between the votes for nomination and for election in 1915 will prove of interest.

For Nomination For Election

Morse 3589 7250

Donnelly 3046 6761

Brown 2858 6359

Campbell 2584 5332

vote for election will compare with the vote of 1915.

For Nomination
Brown 2623
Putnam 2751
Duncan 2443
Warwick 2337

The total number of male voters registered is now 16,489, only 10,886 of which showed up at the primaries. This gives the candidates almost 6000 votes to work on between now and election and those who voted for the defeated candidates will support this or that candidate according to their respective views or interests.

Following is the total male vote of Lowell by wards and precincts:

Ward	Prec.	1	2	3	Tot
Ward 1	512	650	577	1759	
Ward 2	408	359	539	1306	
Ward 3	634	777	785	2259	
Ward 4	385	456	539	1380	
Ward 5	56	338	324	1258	
Ward 6	793	659	626	1083	
Ward 7	625	587	822	2033	
Ward 8	826	833	630	2289	
Ward 9	606	783	897	2186	

Total male vote 16,489

While there is considerable interest in the school committee contest it is completely overshadowed by that shown in the fight for commissioner. In addition to the 16,489 male voters registered, there are 6589 women voters, with the following ward totals: Ward 1, 751; ward 2, 290; ward 3, 902; ward 4, 532; ward 5, 449; ward 6, 517; ward 7, 990; ward 8, 1032; and ward 9, 1056.

TEUTONS OVERRUNNING WESTERN WALLACHIA

Latest reports of the vigorous campaign Gen. von Falkenhayn is waging against the Rumanians indicate that the Teutonic forces are overrunning western Wallachia, following up sharply their defeat of the Rumanians in the Jul valley region and the capture of Craiova.

Austro-German Advance

Berlin has reported progress for the Austro-German armies that of tending the Teutonic front westward

from the Jul region towards Orsova. The fate of the Rumanian army that was operating in the Orsova region yesterday remains in doubt, as does the extent to which the Russo-Rumanian forces in the Jul valley were able to withstand the swift southward thrust of von Falkenhayn's troops.

Bridges Destroyed

Indications of the abandonment by the Rumanians of a large section of

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DIVORCE DECREES NISI GRANTED HERE TODAY

Two divorce decrees nisi were granted by Judge Keating in the superior court here this forenoon.

In the first case called Mrs. Victoria Ducharme of Lowell was the libellant and Ray Ducharme of Springfield was the libellee. Mrs. Ducharme testified that she was married in this city on Nov. 7, 1908. Three weeks after they were married her husband ran away to Canada, she said, but soon returned and lived with her at 183 Tremont street until May, 1912. For one year, she stated, he did not work and she was obliged to support him. Mrs. Ducharme testified that he gambled away her money and also abused her. He deserted her in May, 1912, and she has not seen him since. At the same time a woman with whom he was friendly disappeared, said the witness.

Prior to May, 1912, Mrs. Ducharme said that her husband ran away once and took all her clothes, leaving her an apron.

Mrs. Victoria Ducharme of Springfield, sister-in-law of the libellant, testified that in May, 1912, the libellee and a woman came to her husband in Springfield and purported to be man and wife. They lived there for eight weeks.

Ducharme was defaulted and the decree granted.

In the second case Victor Duville was granted a decree nisi from Odilla Duville, for alleged desertion. Mr. Duville testified that he was married in 1893 and two years later his wife left him without any apparent reason. A. O. Hamel appeared in both cases.

Interest Begins Saturday, Dec. 2



Just a Suggestion

Your wife would appreciate a Christmas gift of an electric Sewing Machine Motor.

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She can do more sewing because electricity will work all day for her and never tire. The motor fits ANY machine old or new.

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EVENING OF PLEASURE AT COLONIAL HALL

LOWELL TEACHERS' ORGANIZATION GIVES MUSICAL TREATMENT OF ARTISTS ENJOYED

The Lowell Teachers' organization lived up to its reputation of providing good things for the Lowell public when it arranged for the concert which was given at Colonial hall last evening before a large audience. It was the opening concert of a series of three, and the great majority of those who attended will look forward to the others with pleasure.

The artists last evening were: Mrs. Jekka Swartz-Morse, contralto; Mr. Josef Malkin, violinist and Mme. Mary Humphrey-Tower, accompanist. The program was as follows:

Aria: Mon coeur s'ouvre a ta voix.
(From Samson and Delilah)
Mme. Swartz-Morse

Sonata: Allegretto-Allegro
Mr. Malkin

Old English Songs:
(a) Passing By, 1689.....Purcell
(b) Cherry Ripe, 1788.....Horn

(c) Long Ago, 1770.....Bayly
Mme. Swartz-Morse

(a) Nocturne.....Chopin
(b) Sicilienne et Rigaudon-Kreisler

Mr. Malkin

German Songs:
(a) Meine Liebe ist grün.....Brahms
(b) Liebesteil.....Felix Weingartner

(c) Ein Traum.....Grieg
Mme. Swartz-Morse

(a) Romance Sans Paroles, Malkin
(b) Aria.....Bach

(c) Etienne.....Poppo
Mr. Malkin

Song:
Mme. Swartz-Morse

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ter with great power and richness of tone.

The Saint Saens number was given with restraint and deliberation as though the words meant something. The group of old English songs was a delight, there being a natural appeal in their simple arrangement and wholesome sentiment. Some Cubist critic might speak of the Long Ago in terms of staid and old-fashioned, but a love song has been a love song since the days of Tubal Cain. The German songs had a charm all their own. There was an arch undertone in the Brahms number and the beautiful dream song of Grieg was very effectively given. The Massenet number at the close was such as to make one forget the last obligation.

Josef Malkin played pieces covering a wide range of an instrument that in the hands of a lesser artist might become monotonous. The Locatelli sonata gave him an opportunity to show his mastery of technique and the Chopin nocturne gave him a chance to further demonstrate his control of moods. The Franck-Kreisler selection had a most feeling of laughter that hides sadness and the Bacharia was played with color and expression. The lighter pieces at the close were refreshing.

Mme. Humphrey-Tower confirmed the impression made here last season, again demonstrating her ability to accompany vocal and instrumental numbers so as to keep subordinate, while adding considerably to the success of the whole. Her playing in the Elftanz number was full of life and sparkle.

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substantiated by Edgar C. Bibeault of 110 Fourth street, Lowell, who is a helper on the truck.

After the hearing was closed the commission announced that they would place the complaint on file and no further action would be taken. One member spoke to Mailloux in private, however, and told him to be a little more careful in the future and suggested to him that in the near future he might send Mr. Ferris a check sufficient to cover the cost of cleaning the suit.

HOYT.

BILLY SUNDAY SAYS HE HAS DEVIL ON THE RUN

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Twenty-three thousand more have heard Billy Sunday in Boston, 3800 yesterday afternoon—the largest weekday afternoon crowd yet—and the 15,000 who filed into the Tabernacle last night, half expecting to hear the evangelist call for converts and to see the famous sawdust trail-hitting for the first time in this city.

But Billy was not ready last night, whether the sinners were or not.

Sunday was not ready for trail-hitters last night, but he was ready for the devil in every guise, and never since the evangelist came to Boston has he catered that satanic personage so many plain and uncomplimentary things as he pinned on him last night.

He had the devil on the run in Boston, he declared, and explaining just what he meant Sunday received the greatest spontaneous and the most lasting burst of applause that has greeted him in the Boston Tabernacle.

He was shouting: "Say, men and women, they say that 10,000 votes will make old Boston dry—then in God's name let's."

Sunday was shrieking his loudest, but the end of his sentence didn't reach from his pulpit even to the dress benches. The 15,000 were howling cheers at him.

Out of a clear sky had come his reference to the liquor question in Boston; but you might have thought they had been primed for it.

For nearly a minute they yelled and clapped before Sunday could go on: "I'll do my best for the dirty bunch! I've got something up my sleeve for that bunch!"

Again the crowd cheered him on. "What a glorious thing it would be to have it go over the wires to all the country that Boston, Massachusetts, is the largest city in the world without a saloon!"

Here are some of the salient sentences in Sunday's sermons: "A lot of you fools think I'm throwing rocks at you when I'm hitting the devil."

"That we do have imaginary sickness, everybody knows. Well, that can be cured by imaginary remedies."

"Money is often a through ticket to hell."

"I wonder how many men here will go to heaven on what your stenographers know about you."

"If you know anything good about anyone, tell it out—if you don't, keep your darned mouth shut."

"If I thought I had to please everybody or miss heaven, I'd simply have to throw up the sponge and take the count."

"The trouble with some churches is that they think the preacher is a sort of ecclesiastical locomotive who will snort and puff the whole bunch to glory."

"The people of the church are like squirrels in a cage of activity but nothing accomplished."

HOLYOKE CARMEN VICTORS

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—The members of the Street Carmen's union in Holyoke have won a sweeping victory in the decision just promulgated by the board of arbitration consisting of Mayor John J. White of Holyoke, representing the men; William H. Brooks, representing the railway company, and James L. Foster of Boston, who was named chairman of the board by former governor Walsh. The award was unanimous.

The new scale of wages is as follows: First six months, 27 cents per hour; second six months, 28 cents per hour; third year, 31 cents per hour; thereafter, 33 cents per hour.

Thus at the end of the fourth year of employment the Holyoke men get one cent an hour more than the Elevated men and three cents an hour more than the employees of the Day State company receive at the end of six years' service.

WHIST AND SOCIAL

Good Attendance at Benefit For St. Louis Church Held in Parochial School Hall

Over 300 persons attended the whist and social conducted at St. Louis parochial school hall last evening, for the benefit of the church. The affair was given under the auspices of St. Anne's sodality, and the receipts of the evening were very substantial.

At the conclusion of the card game, which was played under the direction of J. A. Gervais, Arcelle Brunelle sang comic songs and Rev. J. B. Labossiere, pastor, spoke interestingly to those present. Over 100 handsome and valuable prizes were awarded the winners at whist.

Those responsible for the success of the evening were Mrs. Benjamin Lajnesse, chairman; Mrs. Eugene Mercier, vice chairman; Mrs. Joseph Masse, secretary; Mrs. Wilfrid Gendreau, Mrs. Narcisse Gaudin, Mrs. Albert Branchaud, Mrs. Godfroi Caron, Mrs. Edmond Gaudin, Mrs. E. St. Jean, Mrs. J. L. Lefebvre, Mrs. E. St. Jean, Mrs. J. A. Gervais, Mrs. A. Bolduc, Mrs. Jules Morrisette.

TEWKSBURY GRANGE

At a regular meeting of the members of Tewksbury grange, which was held Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Frank A. Harte; overseer, Mrs. Maud Griffin; lecturer, Jesse French; steward, Fred Garland; assistant steward, G. A. Norris; chaplain, Joel Phelps; treasurer, Olive M. Clark; secretary, Miss Miller; correspondent, Mrs. Cameron; pomona, Inez Palmer; flora, Estelle Lewis; lady assistant steward, Carrie M. Chase; pianist, Harry C. Brown; executive committee for three years and George Gould executive committee for two years. The installation will be held on the first Tuesday in January.

INCREASE FOR 2000

LAWRENCE, Nov. 23.—The 2000 operatives in the Everett mills were notified today that a 10 per cent increase in wages will go into effect Dec. 1.

IN BOSTON

MEETING IN INTEREST OF NATURALIZATION

A meeting that had both interest and inspiration was held last evening in the high school hall under the auspices of the Lowell school department. It was brought about mainly through the efforts of School Superintendent Hugh J. Molloy, acting in co-operation with the federal department of labor, and its purpose was to prepare for naturalization and the Americanization of the immigrant. Several hundred prospective citizens attended.

Before the addresses American airs played on the graphophone and a selection, "Campus Ethos" was given by the high school orchestra under the direction of F. O. Blunt. A chorus of high school boys sang Kellar's "American Hymn" and "To Thee, O Country," and Mr. Paul Hillman gave an effective rendering of "A Prayer for Peace."

Supt. Hugh J. Molloy presided and in a brief introductory address explained the purposes of the meeting. He dealt with naturalization or preparation for citizenship, and told of the figures that go to make up the immigrant group at Plymouth—Law, Morality, Education and Freedom, with Faith dominating all. Mr. Molloy urged the prospective citizens present to attend naturalization classes and

the evening schools. The first naturalization class will be held in the Green school, Wednesday evening, Dec. 6.

Mayor James E. O'Donnell was the first speaker. He praised the object of the meeting and said that great credit was due Mr. Molloy for making it possible. He also spoke in a complimentary vein of the orchestra, the singers and Director Blunt. Coming to the object of the meeting Mayor O'Donnell said: "We are all immigrants or sons or grandsons of immigrants. The national immigration department wants to help all new-comers to become a part of the country. It is for the protection of our national ideals and the interests of all Americans we urge you to attend the classes and to become citizens as soon as possible."

Congressman Rogers

Hon. John Jacob Rogers spoke, in part, as follows:

"It was as a member of the Lowell school board that I first learned some of the things which have more and more impressed themselves upon me as the years have passed. One of those things is the very direct connection between our public school system on one hand, and naturalization on the other. Do you realize that four men and women and children out of every five in this city are of foreign birth or foreign-born parents? So we have a great population from all countries of the world. It is said that we have more nationalities represented here in Lowell than any city in the United States, except New York. The Greek minister at Washington has told me that we have the largest Greek colony, right here in Lowell, and that we have the finest Greek building. The population of Lowell is more varied than any other city in the United States, except Fall River. To a very unusual extent we have a serious question facing how to really and truly a big family. One of the ways, of course, is to speak a common language. As long as people have come to an English-speaking country, I think it is fair to say that that common language should be English. Let us assume that every man and woman in Lowell should speak and read and write English. Here in Lowell there is no excuse whatever for a person of fair intelligence not to be able to speak and read and write English. You have a chance to go to an admirable evening school, and it will cost you a cent; and the school committee and the taxpayers of Lowell invite you cordially to attend those evening schools. The effort is being made by the school committee and the efficient superintendent of schools, to make the evening schools just as good as the day schools. Those who go to the day schools go because they have to, because either the law or their parents say they must. Those who go to the evening schools, go because they want to; and we want to give those who want to go to school, as much education as we possibly can."

Mr. Rogers quoted from a report of a speech made in Boston by a New York minister, who said he deemed it a privilege to be an illiterate, because one escaped so many things. "I feel sorry for his parishioners," said Mr. Rogers, "if that is the sort of stuff they pump out to them. Think of a man who thinks it a privilege to be blind, not to be able to read and write! It is never humiliating, to try to better yourself; and that is what these people are doing when they go to the evening schools and try to get an education."

"I know that I speak for the mayor, the superintendent of schools and the teaching staff of the schools, when I say that we are all at your disposal to answer any questions that may help you in your desire to become American citizens. I think that every man who has been here five years should be thinking about becoming an American citizen. The men who do not think about it are not digested, and food that is not digested is not good for the body."

"We have fought one great war with a foreign power because it would not respect the rights of American citizens. That was a century ago, but the same spirit, I think, dominates this country today. We fought a war 15 years ago because a comparatively small number of our sailors had been killed by a foreign power and there was some doubt at that time as to whether they were murdered. But there was not a man, I think, in the United States, who resented that war, because, they said, we must protect our American citizens wherever they go."

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NO MARRIAGE BELLS FOR CHAMBERLAIN

NASHUA, N. H., Nov. 22.—Cornelius W. Chamberlain, the 88-year-old war veteran, who at the behest of relatives, was taken from his home on Harbor avenue by Deputy Sheriff Edwin D. Flanders, after a marriage license had been taken out in Lowell, Mass., Tuesday evening to prevent his marriage to his nurse, Mrs. Mary A. Thompson, is now at S. Thayer court, the home of a woman who was his nurse before Mrs. Thompson.

In an interview last night he said the widow had treated him nicely, but he did not want to get married and would never have gone to Lowell for the license of his free will.

Mrs. Thompson was seen at her daughter's store on Bowers street.

When Mrs. Chamberlain died, she said Mr. Chamberlain went to live at her home, paying \$8 a month, for board and \$6 for room. Mrs. Thompson says she bought the veteran clothes and kept his expenses within his \$30 a month pension, paying his doctor's bill and \$45 for a marker for his wife's grave.

Part of a \$500 legacy he received from a brother, is left.

She consulted her attorney this afternoon with a view to bringing suit for services.

MAN WHO KILLED FELLOW INMATE COMMITTED

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Thomas H. Kelleher, who on Oct. 16, while an inmate of the Tewksbury State hospital, attacked a fellow inmate, Daniel Cronin, with a spade and killed him, was yesterday committed to the Bridgewater Hospital for the Criminal Insane. The commitment was ordered by Judge Stearns upon the report of alienists. Kelleher had been indicted for manslaughter.

KILLED HIMSELF AFTER SHOOTING GIRL

MANCHESTER, N. H., Nov. 22.—Fred Denning, 40 years of age, killed himself by shooting last night after he had wounded Ruby Pearl Danforth, a young girl who had refused to keep company with him. Miss Danforth says that Denning, who was a cripple, became enraged when she rejected his suit, and drawing a revolver shot her in the face at close range.

She grappled with him, and after a struggle, in which the light was extinguished, made her escape. When the police entered the house Denning was dead. The girl will recover.

SLUES FOR \$10,000; GETS \$50

BOSTON, Nov. 22.—Mrs. Mary Bloomberg, who sued Abraham Cohen for \$10,000 damages for false arrest, was yesterday awarded \$50 by the jury which heard the case in Judge Rice's session court. Mrs. Bloomberg claimed that Mrs. Bloomberg, who lived next door to him at 33 West Cedar street, threw cups, saucers and flower pots at him one hot Sunday in September, 1915, when they had a dispute in their backyards over the beating of a carpet.

MEN'S BATTALION HEARS BRIG. GEN. SWEETSER

A largely attended meeting of the Business Men's battalion was held last evening at the state armory in Westford street and a feature of the evening was an address by Brig. Gen. E. Leroy Sweetser and his adjutant, Major Charles T. Cahill, also spoke.

In the early evening the regular weekly drill was held and then the men repaired to the mess hall, where James F. Owens, a member of the executive board of the battalion, introduced as the first speaker General Sweetser. For nearly an hour the general entertained his listeners with a talk on the value of military training and told of his recent trip to El Paso, Tex., as commander of the Second brigade. He stated it was a splendid thing to see business men giving up valuable time one week to drilling and drill as we had in every city in the country organizations similar to



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Men's \$10.00 Raincoats	\$7.50	Men's 75c Wool Finish Underwear	59c	Ladies' \$8.95 Sweaters	\$5.95
Men's \$3.00 Pants	\$2.50	Men's 15c Stockings	10c	Ladies' \$5.00 Bath Robes	\$3.50
Men's \$2.00 Hats	\$1.65	Boys' \$8.00 Suits (two pants)	\$5.95	Ladies' \$5.00 Rain Coats	\$2.95
Men's \$1.00 Caps	79c	Boys' \$5.00 Overcoats	\$3.95	Ladies' \$1.50 House Dresses	79c
Men's \$1.00 Umbrellas	79c	Boys' \$1.00 Blouses	50c		
Men's \$1.00 Negligee Shirts	75c	Boys' 50c Caps	39c		
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ACROSS FROM CITY HALL

that of the Lowell Business Men's battalion, there would be no question of getting men for our army and the National Guard. He outlined his experiences and the experiences of his brigade on the border.

Work on the border, he said, as carried out by the National Guard, was what might be called regular routine duty—the same kind of work that is done in any reserve camp, with the possibility of some day crossing the border adding a little additional "pen."

Militia, to be of any value, must be ready, and the organization that gets to a designated place in the shortest possible time is the most valuable. In this respect Massachusetts stood first of all the states.

The call to mobilize came on the 19th day of June and before midnight the troops were in their armories awaiting transportation to Ft. Huachuca. On the Sunday following the day upon which the troops were called out, orders were received by General Sweetser to be prepared to move from

the mobilization camp on Monday afternoon, or the following day, and he was instructed to buy 500 horses in the interim. The Massachusetts troops, continuing their splendid record of the civil war, were the first of the National Guardsmen to get into El Paso, in spite of the seven days' journey to the border. The trip to the border was most interesting, and all along the line, in every city, town and hamlet through which they passed, people were cheering and waving flags in honor of the Bay State boys. The spirit shown was impressive; it was the spirit which wipes out all feeling of state lines.

Upon arriving at El Paso, work of the hardest kind began. Besides the outpost work, the constant drilling and the maneuvering, there was the task of camp construction. In July, 2000 rookies arrived and these had to be fitted out and trained. One of the first things attempted was to put the men in the best possible physical condition. The climate was hot and dry

and the northern boys must become acclimated. So much work was there, that often it was amusing to see recruits who had enlisted for the express purpose of fighting the Mexicans and "handling the rifle," handling little else than pick and shovel.

Many illuminating incidents of camp life were given. A remounting station was maintained five or six miles from the camp, and to this station details of men often were sent to bring back a requisition of mules, animals which never had been harnessed or shod. A ticklish job this was excelled by the task of shoeing the animals on the open prairie and breaking them to their military duties.

The troops at the border met with the same hardships and suffering that soldiers on any campaign might meet with except that fortunately there was no real fighting. There was an attitude of watchful waiting rather than watchful waiting. At first they were encouraged by the prospect of possible action across the border, but when

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LANSING TALKS ON PROPOSED EMBARGO

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The department of state has no views on the subject of the proposed food embargo, Secretary Lansing said today. "That is purely a domestic question." The department, he said, has nothing to say on the subject of such embargo, as he does not think it concerns international relations in any way. Such action, it is said, could hardly be objected to by any foreign government in view of the fact that they have taken similar action where necessary for public safety. No similarity could be drawn, it was said, between the proposed embargo and the shipment of munitions.

INVESTIGATORS AT WORK

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Evidence bearing on advanced food prices gathered by federal investigators will not be presented to the federal grand jury until some time in January, it was learned today. No tangible evidence sufficient for an indictment is contained in the investigators' reports, it was said. United States District Attorney Clyne said rumors that produce dealers had bought large quantities of foodstuffs then allowed them to rot in the fields or on side tracks in order to boost prices, had proven unfounded.

FOUNDER OF GREENACRE COLONY IS DEAD

MISS SARAH J. FARMER PASSED AWAY AT FARMER HOMESTEAD AT ELIOT, ME.

ELIOT, Me., Nov. 23.—Miss Sarah J. Farmer, founder of the Greenacre colony, died at the Farmer homestead here just before midnight, last night. It was learned today.

Free discussion of religious subjects which was the object of the Greenacre colony attracted to it leading clergymen and writers during the past 20 years. The colony became divided by fractional differences and Miss Farmer in 1910 was declared insane and sent to an asylum. Since that time she had been involved in much litigation. In July last, an unsuccessful effort was made to remove Miss Farmer from a sanatorium at Portsmouth, N. H., where she had been under restraint for some time. A month later, she was taken from the sanatorium and brought over the state boundary line to Eliot and placed under the care of George E. Hammond, her guardian in this state. Miss Farmer, who was the daughter of Moses G. Farmer, a man of wealth and an electrical expert, devoted much of the fortune which she inherited to various recta. She was 70 years of age.

DUTCH STEAMER SUNK

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The Dutch steamer Helina from Rotterdam for New York in ballast has been sunk by mines in the North sea, according to a despatch from Hull today to the Central News.

DANGEROUS BLAST IN DUMMER ST. EXTENSION

Vasilios Petros, a barber at 370 Market street, had a narrow escape from serious injury this afternoon, when a large piece of stone was sent flying through the window of his shop by a blast fired by city employees employed in laying a sewer through the Dummer street extension. Several panes of glass were broken and the entire neighborhood was badly shaken as a result of the blast.

The blast was fired at 1:45 o'clock and boulders went high into the air and several pieces of rocks of various dimensions went flying across the street.

MAYOR MITCHELL THREATENS THE COAL DEALERS

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—A threat to buy coal and deliver it to small consumers in the city street cleaning wagons at reasonable prices unless the dealers bring present prices down, was made today by Mayor Mitchell. He said he had been making an investigation of the "exorbitant price of coal," and as a result had reached the conclusion that "some dealers in the city have taken advantage of an apparent shortage of the supply."

The mayor said that the producers

and large dealers promised him to do all in their power to relieve the situation. If their efforts did not succeed, he said, he would take his threatened course through the mayor's food supply committee, which, through George W. Perkins, the chairman, he received an offer of whatever financial aid is necessary. Any profits will be used by the food committee or distributed to charities, he said. Dealers who conferred with the mayor today agreed to send a letter to small dealers warning them that if they charged exorbitant prices their supplies would be cut off.

A. F. OF L. CONVENTION

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 23.—The convention of the American Federation of Labor today voted to suspend the forerunner charter of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers unless it revokes on or before April 1, 1917, the charter it granted to New York city dock builders' local. It is charged in resolutions adopted that the members of the local were employed by contracting dock builders of New York to fill the places of men who went on strike to secure an increase of wages.

HOTEL PROFITS BIGGEST ON RECORD

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Last summer's shark scare, the epidemic of infantile paralysis and "war prosperity" contributed to making the profits of hotel keepers in New York city and other cities of the state the biggest on record. John McGlynn, president of the New York State Hotel Men's association, so declared in an address here today at the convention of the association. The shark scare made New York city a summer resort, the paralysis epidemic kept permanent patrons from traveling and there was an influx of buyers from western houses, he said.

APPRAISING THE RAILROAD SYSTEMS OF COUNTRY

PHYSICAL VALUATION OF NEW ORLEANS, TEXAS & MEXICO RAILROAD ANNOUNCED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The physical valuation of the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico railroad, announced today by the interstate commerce commission, places the cost of reproduction at \$2,365,636. It is capitalized at \$10,938,031. The report shows the original cost of the line equipped was \$12,184,291. The record cost of road equipment was found unduly large.

The railroad is part of the Gulf Coast lines which skirt the Gulf coast from New Orleans to Brownsville. The announcement of valuation was the second the commission had made in its work of appraising the railroad systems of the country.

HELD FOR GRAND JURY

WARREN, R. I., Nov. 23.—Antonio Carotmitti was held for the grand jury today after a hearing in the district court here on charges of manslaughter for the death of Mrs. Alvin P. Norton, and assault upon Bradshaw Bradshaw, both of Bristol. The defendant, who lived in the same house with Mrs. Norton's family, is alleged to have attacked the couple after Bradshaw had called at the house on Oct. 21. Mrs. Norton, who was wounded three times by shots from a revolver, survived for several weeks.

CROSS COUNTRY RACE

ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 23.—Coach Jack Mackley and his squad of eight Cornell runners left Ithaca today for New Haven where on Saturday they will compete in the annual intercollegiate cross country race. The team will remain at the Hotel Stratfield at Bridgeport over Friday night, going to New Haven Saturday morning.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Today's Fashion Hint



Dark green gabardine is stitched and strapped in this sodidly fashion. Deep broad runs along the sides of the coat bottom, while many self buttons in two sizes trim the coat. The high collar and cuffs are finished with black velvet to match the dashing turban.

LADY'S SMALL GOLD BREST PIN with pearl bar, fast between Boston square, Central, Gotham, Elm, Wagon, Lawrence and Agawam streets. Reward if returned to 50 ARKHAM ST.

CITY OF LOWELL, Nov. 23, 1916. Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Joseph M. Cole has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the 5th class, as provided in Nos. 31 Andover St. and Concord St., in one room on first floor and cellar. By order of the License Commission, Charles H. Hanson, Chairman.

NEW COMPLICATIONS IN U-BOAT SITUATION

BERLIN, Nov. 21, by wireless to The Associated Press, via Sayville, Nov. 23.—A period of complications may again be impending in German-American relations, especially as the despatch was allowed to pass a very strict censorship. Officials refused to disclose details of the inquiries sent to Berlin on the ground that they were only inquiries for fact and would have a very bad effect on public opinion if an alarm were given only to be shown groundless.

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OFFICIALS INTERESTED

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BRITISH AIRCRAFT IN RAID ON ZEEBRUGGE

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Another raid on Zeebrugge was made yesterday by British aircraft and it is reported a German destroyer was hit by a bomb. The following official account of the attack was given out here today:

"Yesterday afternoon British naval airplanes attacked the seaplane sheds at Zeebrugge and the enemy's torpedo boat destroyers lying alongside the mole. Observers state that a destroyer was hit and that damage was done to the sheds. All our machines returned."

NO WOUNDED MEN ON THE BRITANNIC

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Press despatches from Athens to the effect that there were no wounded on board the hospital ship Britannic when it was sunk off the Greek coast were confirmed today by the admiralty, which made the following announcement: "No wounded were aboard the Britannic on which there were only the ship's crew and the hospital staff."

NO AMERICANS ABOARD

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The statement was credited yesterday to the British consulate in this city that Americans nurses and surgeons were aboard the British hospital ship Britannic, reported sunk in the Aegean sea, but later it was denied by the ranking consular official that there was any basis for the statement.

SIR GEORGE WHITE DEAD

He Had Established the First Manufactory For Making Airships in England

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Sir George White died last night.

Sir George established the first manufactory of airships in England. He was a pioneer of electric street traction being the first to introduce it in London. He was 62 years old and received the title of baronet in 1904.

TO ISSUE IRON MONEY

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 23, via London.—The National Tidende says that as a result of negotiations between Denmark, Sweden and Norway, iron money is shortly to be issued in place of copper coin in two and five ore pieces. These coins hitherto have been made from copper plates imported from England.

BACK FROM NEW YORK

The manager of the Lenox, Clock and Suit store has returned from New York. He made a large purchase of the latest fashions and bargain in ladies' apparel.

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THE SPELLBINDER

As was expected, a light vote was cast in Tuesday's municipal primaries, not quite two-thirds of the total registration appearing at the polls. Lowell has 16,440 registered male voters, and 10,888 of them showed up at the primaries. The light vote, however, was foreseen as there was comparatively little interest in the contests prior to the caucuses. Ward 9 cast the largest vote, 1389, while the two big republican wards, three and four, were somewhat apathetic, the former casting a total vote of 1371 and the latter only 1287. It was predicted that the democrats would outnumber the republicans at primary voting by a 60-40 percentage, yet on the totals the three democratic wards cast the smallest votes, though the small wards anyway. In ward 2 the total vote was 1013; ward 4, 1053 and ward 5, 977.

Viewing the results from a partisan standpoint, and there are many voters who still adhere to partisan views in municipal affairs, the situation is most peculiar.

Lowell is a democratic city; the democratic majority being at least 1000.

In Tuesday's primaries there were eight nominal republicans and four nominal democrats seeking four non-partisan offices, while the democrats were supposed to have the larger vote in the primaries yet with twice as many republicans as democrats seeking nominations and the city democratic, all four nominations went to republicans, and not one democrat landed, James F. Miskella failing to get in, by the narrow margin of 62 votes.

While democrats voted for republicans and republicans voted for democrats in some instances, a third party appeared in the field and showed strength, the organized labor party. If you will, for the organized labor party supported Frank A. Warnock more solidly than they ever supported a candidate in the past and Mr. Warnock as a result, was nominated. Mr. Warnock received nearly 1000 votes more this year than he polled one year ago, his vote at that time being 1423. There were no checkers at the polling place and no particular effort was made to get out the vote. The primaries closed one hour earlier this year, and nobody appeared dissatisfied at the change in the hours for voting. Within three hours after the polls closed the results were on The Sun bulletin boards.

What the Women Did

Both the editor of the Courier-Citizen and "As She Sees It" will be interested to learn that every woman suffrage state of the Union showed a remarkable change in the presidential vote over that of eight years ago, according to the best figures for the 1916 contest. The eight suffrage states which have been admitted to the Union since the Taft-Bryan contest, showed remarkable reversal of form. Washington, a bed-rock republican state, which went to woman suffrage in 1910, cut its republican plurality from 52,000 in 1908 to less than 12,000 this year.

Oregon, giving women the suffrage in 1912, gave Taft a plurality of 24,000, and gave Hughes less than 8000.

California, which let women vote in 1911, has turned its republican plurality of 85,000 to a democratic plurality.

Nevada, given suffrage in 1914, increased its democratic plurality from 4500 to 6000.

Idaho, one of the old suffrage states, having gone in 1896, turned a republican plurality of 20,000 into a democratic plurality of 16,000 or more.

Montana, becoming a woman suffrage state in 1914, made the most remarkable change, reversing the most republican plurality of about 40,000 into a democratic plurality of 35,000 or more.

Wyoming, a suffrage state in 1890, changed from 6000 republican to 4000 democratic in a total vote of a little over 40,000.

At the home of Reed Smoot, of the old guard, which gave women the suffrage in 1870, also showed a remarkable change, turning a republican plurality of about 19,000 to a democratic plurality of 32,000.

Arizona, becoming a suffrage state in 1912, gave a democratic plurality of less than 2000 five years ago, and a democratic plurality of 10,000 this year.

Colorado, also another old suffrage state, having granted women the vote in 1893, made a most remarkable change. The democratic plurality in 1908 was less than 3000, but this year it is about 62,000.

Kansas, the home of the staunch republican, where women got the vote in 1912, gave Taft a plurality of 26,000.

000; she gave Wilson a plurality of 36,000.

In Illinois, where a million men voted in 1908, they gave the republican candidate a plurality of 224,000; when a half million more were added, the democratic candidate was beaten in 1916 by 165,000. If the women there had voted as did the men in 1908 and the men had also done the same, Mr. Hughes would have carried the state by about 340,000.

Some years ago I reported a big rally in old Huntington hall, and a republican rally at that. One of the speakers, if memory serves me correctly, was Senator Beveridge who, toward the close of a forceful speech, commented upon the large number of women in the audience, and then eloquently eulogized the American woman. Mentioning Cleopatra, Marie Antoinette, Joan d'Arc, Elizabeth, Mary Stuart and many other famous women of history, down to Victoria, he exclaimed: "Greater, grander and more powerful than any of these is the American woman, and her empire is the American home."

And from Woodrow Wilson down the line we all agree that he was absolutely right.

High Cost of Living

Mr. T. A. Delano of this city, whose business takes him from Brockton, Mass., to San Francisco and back, has written me from the west as follows: "Just came across a coast paper in which was 'writ': Mayor O'Donnell, of Lowell, Mass., asked that a federal investigation be made to ascertain the rapid advance of the cost of necessities of life. I am enclosing a few clippings to show that the east and west agree on at least one question—the high cost of living."

Among the clippings enclosed was one from the Omaha Daily News reporting a mass meeting of 1500 pack-horse and stockyard workmen at which a resolution was unanimously adopted calling upon the federal authorities of that state to begin a probe of the cold storage monopoly.

Absentee Voting

Practical Politics, discussing the different measures to come up for consideration in the constitutional convention, in this week's issue had the following:

"Absentee voting is going to be demanded by a certain group led by Congressman John Rogers of Lowell, the most progressive Massachusetts representative now in congress. To allow voters absent from home to deposit their ballots was advocated by Secretary of State Langtry and Attorney General Atwell in their report to the 1916 legislature. They found that as the constitution now stands to vote for state officers the voter must personally cast his ballot, hence the question went over to the constitutional convention. It will be endorsed by the labor unions and by traveling men. In theory it has much to commend it, but as a practical matter it presents some serious objections."

THE SPELLBINDER.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed at the city clerk's office since the last were published: Joseph M. Letendre, 237 Dutton, 15, machinist; Rose A. Poitras, Tyngsboro, 17, operative.

Vasilios II. Marathas, 358 Market, 29, moulder; Elena Gerakine, same address, 21, spinning.

Winifred Lawrence (widowed), 4 South, 30, operative; Franciszka Stupakowna, same address, 23, operative.

Francisco G. Orphan, 21 Bradford, 19, operative; Maria R. Ferreira, same address, 20, operative.

Charles Norman, 671 Middlesex, 21, knitter; Alice Felleiter, 508 Fletcher, 48, housewife.

Edmond Philippe Fontaine, Jr., 17 Second avenue, 23, boiler-maker; Lola Marie Maynard, 773 Lakeview avenue, 20, window.

Edward J. Tarrant, 55 St. James, 34, clerk; Jennie C. Tale, 15 Alder, 27, at home.

Christy P. Petropoulos, Newport, R. I., 30, ice business; Vasio Laurens, 165 Worthen, 21, at home.

Arthur Smith, 267 railway signalman; Rose M. Campbell, 45 Liberty, 26, nurse.

Allan E. Lalime, 234 West Sixth, 23, toolmaker; Susan E. Carrigan, 521 Gorham, 20, shoemaker.

Frank Evans, 23 Potter, 22, iron moulder; Evelyn Gibson, 244 Grand, 22, at home.

Thomas F. Cassidy, 12 Madison, 29, machinist; Katherine V. Kelly, 455 Central, 24, weaver.

Eileen Brennan, 2 North, 24, operative; Margaret O'Brien, 10 Riverside avenue, 23, weaver.

Walter J. Cleary, 59 Swift, 23, carpenter; Mollie A. Townsend, 184 Central, 21, at home.

Frank A. Garneau, 32 Cedar, 30, mechanic; Eva M. Wedge, 153 B, 26, skiver.

Peter Roark, 43 Cedar, 31, clerk; Margaret Cryan, 32 Crosby, 30, at home.

Philippe Felix Dube, 295 Appleton, 34, machinist; Diana M. Gagnon, 35 Branch, 24, operative.

Michael J. Walsh, 138 Paige, 22, machinist; Rose E. Farrell, 14 Tyler, 20, operative.

Angelos Valavanis, 180 Common, 22, shoemaker; Eugenia Tolopoulou, same address, 20, housekeeper.

Joseph G. Rochelleau, 136 Cheever, 24, machinist; Marie Alma Levasseur, 103 Tucker, 24, Lawrence hosiery.

John Adamantidis, 28 Coolidge, 23, operative; Eleni Arvaniti, 59 Prince, 23, operative.

Joseph Ducharme, 791 Lakeview avenue, 20, laborer; Maria Teller, 12 Pawtucket, 20, spoon.

Eugene W. Knowlton, 45 Gates, 25, machinist; Yvonne E. Jacques, 23 Watertown, 23, nurse.

Kenneth Smith, 16 Common, 26, hosiery; Fleur Anse Teller, 235 White, 27, at home.

George H. Riner, 80 Boisvert, 20, helper; Salome Sbera, 46 Race, 22, operative.

Barrett Bernstein, 111 Westford, 25, dentist; Rebecca L. Goldberg, Roxbury, 24, at home.

Edward J. Shaughnessy, 203 Fayette, 23, inspector; Anna C. O'Donnell, 54 Manchester, 22, Newton Mfg. Co.

Edgar Lewis Barnes (widowed), 58 Crowley, 42, overseer; Elizabeth Emma Booth, 46 Crowley, 46, district teacher.

Thomas J. Keller, 672 Middlesex, 25, mechanic; Annie McNamara, same address, 22, at home.

Antoine Dugas (widowed), 152 Corbett, 57, operative; Octavia Patenaude, same address, 55, operative.

Elphège Cote, 7 Dane avenue, 21, operative.

Samuel Hoey (widowed), 38 South Whipple, 43, dealer; Annie Black (widowed), Gorham, 36, at home.

Kenneth S. Church, 11 Princeton, 21, machinist; Elizabeth E. McCabe, 7 Oak, 20, at home.

James E. Anderson (divorced), 725 Gorham, 45, barber; Inez Ibertina (widowed), 194 Middlesex, 35, laundress.

Joseph Richmond Richards, 147 Smith, 26, decorator; Lillian Graco Chase, Holyoke, 25, at home.

James P. Mahan, 26 Manchester, 27, locomotive fireman; Mary G. Brown, 27 South Whipple, 21, at home.

Robert L. Holmes, 263 W. Sixth, 23, at home.

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This \$2.50 Aluminum Cooker

The cost of Aluminum has doubled since we ordered these lifetime Cookers. At present prices, this offer would be impossible. So, in all probability, after our supply is exhausted, it cannot be made again.

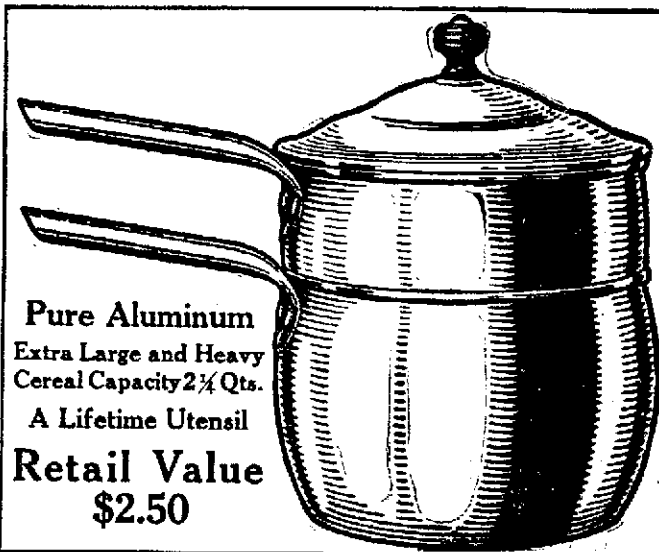
Next week the grocers of this city will once more feature this Quaker Cooker offer. And for the last time, we believe.

We have supplied Cookers now to over 1,000,000 homes. We have supplied \$2.50 Aluminum Cookers for \$1 to Quaker Oats users. But this offer ends with our present supply, and probably forever. Unless Aluminum drops 50 per cent, we cannot again offer a Cooker like this for \$1.

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\$2.50

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O. A. Berntson, 121 Moore st.
T. J. Burns, 106 Mt. Hope st.
L. Buchvald, 289 Adams st.
E. P. Brooks, 106 Powell st.
H. J. Bechar, 24 Westford st.
John Bailey, 498 Chelmsford st.
W. H. Brown, cor. Gorham and Appleton sts.
W. S. Byron, 519 Bridge st., cor. Sixth.
E. J. Barrett, 80 Salem st.
Omer Bernard, 600 Market st.
J. B. Beaulieu, 82 Tilden st.
A. Buson, 253 Aiken st.
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Vilfred Houli, 484 Moody st.
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Belleville & Son, 23 Aiken ave.
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L. T. Cheney, 595 Westford st.
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C. Catis, 93 Moody st.
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Geo. Dion, 340 West Sixth st.
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F. D. Donovan, cor. Mammoth road and Second ave.
C. Donno, Concord st.
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John Dobrowolski, 90 Lakeview ave.
M. J. Donoghue, 624 School st., cor. Broadway.
A. Desrosiers, 742 Lakeview ave.
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John W. Sweeney, 624 School st.
Harry Gray, 403 Central st.
Alanson Gray, 185 Westford, cor. Smith st.
M. A. Gould, 546 Suffolk st.
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J. E. Haworth, 1252 Gorham st.
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A. J. Keith, 280 Bridge st.
W. A. Kelley, 799 Princeton st.
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Mrs. T. P. Kelley, 94 Rock st.
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Walter Jackson, 510 Central st.
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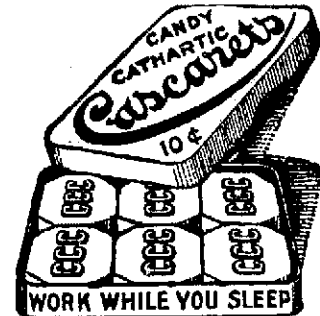
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Lowell Cash Market, 535-540 Middlesex st.
A. Landry, 175 Salem st.
A. W. Lyseth, 654 Suffolk st.
A. Langlais, 48 Ward st.
Joseph Laurins, 190 Moody st.
J. H. Murray, 791 Central st.
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John Reynolds, 531 Merrimack st.
M. J. Sullivan, 10 Agawam st.
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F. H. Strout & Sons, 329 Bridge st.

Mrs. J. Sheals, 106 Coburn st.
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William A. Taylor, 88 Andrews st.
The New Meat Shop, H. J. LeClair, Prop., 586 Moody st.
Res. Taylor, 46 Main st.
The Hamlet Grocery Co., 301-303 Dutton st.
The Beacon Market, 480 Bridge st.
The New Cash Market, 286 Moody st.
Wacław Taraszkiewicz, 454 Central st.
W. W. Thibodeau, 748 Moody st.
Tessier & Ducharme, 28 Tucker st.
Union Market, 173-185 Middlesex st.
Emil Widen, 48 Lundberg st.
C. H. Wills, 145-147 Liberty st.
C. H. Wills, 340 Westford st.
C. H. Wills, 15 Pine st.
BELLERICA, MASS.
Boston Cash Store, A. J. Walter, Prop.
H. G. Watts Co.
NORTH CHELMSFORD, MASS.
E. T. Adams
S. W. Parkhurst
E. W. Sweetser
George W. Ducey, corner School and Pleasant sts.
Ideal Market, Andrew J. McGarry, Prop., 437 Pleasant st.
Stevens & Bolton
NORTH BILLERICA
M. Etwood
North Chelmsford Market, E. F. Anderson, Prop.
D. F. Small
TYNGSBORO
Perham & Queen
PAWTUCKETVILLE
Pawtucketville Cash Grocery, 48-49
Mammoth road, corner Clinton ave.
Edward J. Shea, 50 Third ave.
J. M. Wilson & Co., 58 Mammoth road

BEST LIVER AND BOWEL LAXATIVE FOR FAMILY USE

"Cascarets" regulate women, men and children without injury.

Take when bilious, headachy, for colds, bad breath, sour stomach.



Instead of nasty, harsh pills, salts, castor oil or dangerous calomel, why don't you keep Cascarets handy in your home? Cascarets act on the liver and thirty feet of bowels so gently you don't realize you have taken a cathartic, but they act thoroughly and can be depended upon when a good liver and bowel cleansing is necessary—they move the bile and poison from the bowels without griping and sweeten the stomach. You eat one or two at night like candy and you wake up feeling fine, the headache, biliousness, bad breath, coated tongue, sour stomach, constipation, or bad cold disappears. Mothers should give cross, sick, feverish or bilious children a whole Cascaret any time—they are harmless and safe for the little folks.

27, machinist; Annie Mary McCread, 561 Central, 24, knitter.
Hormidas Ducharme, 94-96 Worthen, 22, whitewasher; Anna Deaulieu, 105 Crawford, 15, operative.
Joseph E. Sullivan, 54 Maple street, pressman; Helen M. Reynolds, Cambridge, school teacher.
Edgar St. Hilaire, 15 Second avenue, 23, shoemaker; Bessie Young, 208 Salem, 24, shoemaker.
Ernest Bahr, 9 Center, 31, clerk; Alice Casey, 754 Central, 26, operative.
John McHugh, 78 Tyler, 27, Cartledge shop; Mary Heenan, 224 Fayette, 23, velvet cutter.
Dana B. Hart (divorced), 9 Waterford, 40, barber; Alice R. Gifford (divorced), same address, 30, at home.
Merrill W. Gammons, Rosbury, 27, grocer; Grace E. Dunn, 373 Parker, 23, at home.
William H. Seannell, 135 Cross, 30, clerk; Mary M. Cabill, 1425 Gorham, 23, at home.

Peter Gurrity, 41 Fletcher, 38, helper; Nellie Ryne, 232 Fletcher, 35, laundry girl.
Horace G. Sims, 223 Appleton, 20, machinist; Martha A. Shattuck, 201 Middlesex, 25, operative.
LOWELL'S YOUNGEST DISCIPLINARIAN
Can you imagine a greater test of a boy's leadership than to put him in charge of 32 messenger boys? Many a man of ability to handle business affairs might fail at the task, but when the opportunity came to Joseph E. Boyd, supervisor of messengers and mail service at the U. S. Cartledge company, he rose to the occasion. Today he is one of the busiest boys—or

young men—in the city, and though he modestly discounts any credit for his part in keeping the wheels of a great manufacturing plant moving, officials of the company are not slow to acknowledge his worth.
Joseph, or "Joe" as he is called by his friends, went to work for the U. S. Cartledge company last January, before he had graduated from high school. Owing to his proficiency in his studies, he was awarded a diploma in June and by that time, he had demonstrated that he knows how to handle boys so as to keep them out of mischief and to set their feet on the right road for the future.

Joe Boyd's desk is in the office entrance just inside the door of the Lawrence street approach to the big plant, and there he is to be found at all times except when the demands of his job carry him into one or other of the departments. On his desk is a card index of all his 32 messenger boys. On this index is noted their various tasks, and there also are filed all complaints concerning them. When 32 normal boys full of animal spirits are scattered through miles of departments, it is inevitable that there shall be complaints, but there is Joseph, patient and judicious, ready to receive them all and to act on them promptly and justly. That he handles them with diplomacy is proved eloquently by the fact that since he has been there, but two have been discharged. Yet there is no disposition on the part of the boys to take their boss lightly. Each boy is trained to do certain things and when they see the supervisor coming they begin to get busy.

When asked the secret of his ability to handle boys so well, Joe Boyd said it is because of his military training, and there he is to be found at all times except when the demands of his job carry him into one or other of the departments. On his desk is a card index of all his 32 messenger boys. On this index is noted their various tasks, and there also are filed all complaints concerning them. When 32 normal boys full of animal spirits are scattered through miles of departments, it is inevitable that there shall be complaints, but there is Joseph, patient and judicious, ready to receive them all and to act on them promptly and justly. That he handles them with diplomacy is proved eloquently by the fact that since he has been there, but two have been discharged. Yet there is no disposition on the part of the boys to take their boss lightly. Each boy is trained to do certain things and when they see the supervisor coming they begin to get busy.

The present messenger service at the great plant was originated by Joe Boyd and he is still improving it. A little summary of what has accomplished for the six months ending October 31 will give an idea of its scope. The mail service handled over 150,000 pieces of mail, records of which are on file on his desk. Four routes were established, some of which are covered by a boy on a bicycle. A system of mail tags helps to keep track of the boys and to settle disputes about collections. All boys were allowed a week's vacation, and Supervisor Boyd prepared a scale of wages and time. Each week a station chart is prepared, showing where on-b duty messenger will be employed for the following period with all details arranged in advance. The closing sentence from Joe Boyd's own report might fittingly close this deserved mention. Everything is done to make things as easy for the messengers as the service can possibly be, and any suggestion or complaint is immediately carried out or rectified.

JACK LONDON DIES SUDDENLY

Noted Author Found
Unconscious in Bed
at Santa Rosa, Cal.

Was One of America's
Most Popular Writers
—His Career



JACK LONDON

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Nov. 23.—Jack London, the novelist, died here at 7:45 last night. He had been reported seriously ill, and three physicians summoned to his ranch at Glen Ellen, near here, where he was found unconscious yesterday morning, expressed the opinion that the author's life was in grave danger.

London was found unconscious at 8 o'clock yesterday morning by a servant who went to awaken him. Local doctors were called in and they summoned a specialist from San Francisco.

The patient showed signs of recovery during the day, but suffered a relapse last night. He did not regain consciousness before he died. The doctors said he was suffering from uremia in a severe form.

Jack London, probably the most virile and distinctive figure among American novelists, was born in San Francisco Jan. 12, 1876, the son of John and Flora London.

He was educated at the University of California, but left college to go to the Klondike and never completed his course.

He went to sea as a fore-mast hand in 1892, and spent the greater part of that year and the next one in trips to Japan and in seal hunting in the Bering sea.

During 1894 he travelled as a "obo" throughout the United States and Canada, making a study of sociological and economic conditions. During the Russo-Japanese war he served as a war correspondent.

For more than two years, between 1907 and 1909, he navigated his private yacht, the *Snark*, through the South Sea Islands and gathered material for many of his great short

stories of this part of the world.

No better idea of the character of London can be given than the following, from his own pen, a part of an article written several years ago, and entitled "What Life Means to Me."

"I discovered that I did not like to live in the parlor floor of society. Intellectually I was sickened. I remembered my intellectual and idealistic, my unfringed preachers, broken professors, and clean-minded, class-conscious workmen. I remembered my days and nights of sunshine and stardust, where life was all a wild, sweet wonder, a spiritual paradise of unselfish adventure and ethical romance. And I saw before me, ever blazing and burning the Holy Grail."

FUNERAL FRIDAY

SANTA ROSA, Calif., Nov. 23.—Jack London, the author, who died last night at his Glen Ellen farm near



No Chills or Draughts

The room where baby has his bath should be kept warm and comfortable.

Socony Kerosene used as fuel in a

PERFECTION SMOKELESS OIL HEATER

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It is clean, smokeless and dependable. It is economical, too, and can be carried easily from room to room, just as needed.

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EVERY DAY ETIQUETTE

"Please tell me whether or not I should wear a hat to an afternoon church wedding where I have also been invited to the reception?" asked Bessie.

"I think it would be better to wear a hat, although you will undoubtedly see some guests there without hats," replied her aunt.

"When I take a sleeper should I dress in my berth or may I go to the dressing room in my kimono and dress there?" inquired Lucy.

"You may dress in your berth if you wish, but it is perfectly proper to walk through the aisle to the dressing room in a kimono," said her friend.

"I have an invitation to a wedding but cannot attend. What is expected of me in that case?" asked Geraldine.

"You should send, on the day of the marriage, your cards to those who issued the invitations. Send one card for each name of the parties or party

who issued the invitation," said her mother.

"Upon receiving an engagement announcement should I answer the same and how?" was Gladys's query.

"You should write to the young lady whose engagement is announced, expressing your interest and pleasure in the news and wish her all possible happiness," said her sister.

"Please tell me which name should be mentioned first when introducing a girl friend and a young man?" asked Mona.

"The lady's name is always mentioned first in an introduction," was her society brother's reply.

"Please tell me the correct period that a widow should wear mourning," asked Mrs. Berceux.

"A widow should wear mourning for two years, when she may relieve the black with blue and white," advised her aunt.

but beer at the canteen was far better than the rotten booze of all kinds sold in the city. In fact the soldiers were always all right just as long as they stayed in camp. They were obedient and tractable and gentlemen. To keep them there was the problem, and with that idea in view he arranged a show or entertainment of some sort for every night in the week. He opened up a Bible study class and publicly baptized two men when on the border.

In connection with the little talk which he gave Chaplain Rollins showed many pictures taken by him with the regiment.

WORCESTER ORGANIZER

Organizer Mary T. St. John of Worcester attended this week's meeting of Local 13-A, I.B.E.W., held in Odd Fellows building in Middlesex street.

President Grace Connor presided. Important business was transacted and remarks were made by Mr. Bugnagel, international vice president of Electrical workers, and Martin Joyce, secretary-treasurer of the state board of the A.F. of L.

LIVE WIRE CLUB

The first annual dance of the Live Wire Social club was held last evening in Associate hall. There was a large attendance of friends of the club. Music was furnished by Gray's band orchestra. The officers in charge were: Mr. J. B. Gagnon, Miss Mae Boyle, Miss Della Lussler, George Mallinos, Arthur Simard, Mrs. Denault and Armand Denault.

TOTAL REGISTRATION

Yesterday was the last day for registration before the city elections and the last period for the year. When the office at city hall closed at 10 p. m., the names of 42 men and 70 women had been added to the lists, and the total registration of the year was 16,489 men and 6389 women. Following is the total registration by wards:

Men—Ward 1, 1783; ward 2, 1307; ward 3, 2259; ward 4, 1380; ward 5, 1269; ward 6, 1984; ward 7, 2035; ward 8, 2292; ward 9, 2196.

Women—Ward 1, 761; ward 2, 389; ward 3, 902; ward 4, 532; ward 5, 449; ward 6, 517; ward 7, 991; ward 8, 1052; ward 9, 1096.

FIFTH STREET CHURCH

The men of the Fifth Street Baptist church conducted a "Pathoscope" motion picture entertainment in the vestry last evening. The program was divided into five parts, the first being the "Pathoscope" series, which showed glimpses of interesting points and events from various parts of the world. "Animal Movements Analyzed," was the second of the series.

The third was a four-part dramatization of Dickens' famous novel entitled "Martin Chuzzlewit," and the cast of characters engaged in the silent interpretation included Allan Hale, Isabel Rea and others. Those engaged in the fun-making included Mack Bennett, Fred Bennett and Mabel Normand, all well known movie stars. The last was a series of motion views taken on the flagship *Worming*. The latter gave a good insight into the size, manner of equipment and general labors of those engaged on these fighting ships.

Doctors Agree On Eczema Remedy

Confirm the Statements About D. D. D. Prescription

Geo. T. Richardson, M. D.: "In my opinion, D. D. D. should be applied in all cases of skin disease, as an immediate relief to the itch, a calm to excited nerves, soothing, yet a powerful agent, a strength to the general system."

Dr. Chas. Holmes: "D. D. D. is as near a specific for eczema and the dreaded psoriasis as is quinine for malaria. I constantly prescribe D. D. D. also for skin eruptions, itching eruptions, scales, sores."

Dr. Ira T. Gabbett: "I freely admit that D. D. D. reaches more cases of eczema and permanently cures them."

Dr. Gabbett of Caldwell, Kansas, is one of the best skin specialists in the state. Write and ask him about D. D. D. It will tell you more about this remarkable remedy. Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. 10c, D. D. D. Soap keeps your skin healthy. Ask about it. DOWS, THE DRUGGIST

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RELIABLE TIME AND LABOR SAVING UTENSILS ARE OFFERED AT SPECIAL PRICES FOR OUR ANNUAL PRE-THANKSGIVING SELLING. REALLY WORTH YOUR WHILE FOR ECONOMY'S SAKE TO BUY AT THIS SALE FOR FUTURE NEEDS.

DOUBLE ROASTING PANS—SHEET IRON
Size 10 in. x 15 in. 29c Each
Size 11 in. x 16 in. 38c Each
Size 13 in. x 18 in. 42c Each

L. & G. GRAY ENAMELED OVAL ROASTERS
Self basting, size 11 in. x 16 in. Sale price \$1.98 Each

LISK ENAMELED OVAL ROASTERS
Seamless, Self Basting and Sanitary. Every Roaster First Quality Enamelware
Size 0, roasts 6 lbs., price \$1.75
Size 1, roasts 8 lbs., price \$2.00
Size 2, roasts 12 lbs., price \$2.25
Size 3, roasts 16 lbs., price \$2.50
Size 4, roasts 20 lbs., price \$2.75
Size 5, roasts 26 lbs., price \$3.00

CASSEROLES
Round or oval, fireproof, in handsome nickel frames, 60 patterns to select from. Prices \$2.69, \$2.75, \$2.98, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$3.98, \$4.25, \$4.49, \$4.75, \$4.98 and \$5.98.

COFFEE PERCOLATORS
Prices \$2.50, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$4.75, \$4.98, \$5.98 and \$6.98.

CARVING SETS
Genuine stag handles, fancy silver ferrules and plain silver caps, consisting of 3 pieces, 1 knife, 1 fork, 1 steel—
No. 29,000, special \$3.49 Set
No. 35,000, special \$4.98 Set

Flour Sifters 15c, 25c and 35c
Egg Beaters 10c, 15c, 19c, 25c and 35c
Rolling Pins 20c, 25c and 38c
Dish Drainers 20c, 25c, 38c and 50c
Sink Drainers 10c, 25c and 45c
Bread Knives 25c and 50c
Butcher Knives 50c
Mixing Spoons 10c, 12c and 25c
Pie Plates 4c, 5c, 10c, 14c, 15c, 18c
Pudding Boilers 50c, 60c and 69c
Paring Knives 10c, 15c and 25c
Strainers 10c, 12c, 20c and 25c
Cake Pans 20c, 25c, 28c and 38c
Furniture Polish 25c, 50c and \$1.00
Silver Polish 10c, 19c, 25c and 50c
Bread Boxes 59c, 79c, 89c
Crumb and Brush Sets 50c and 98c
Potato Mashers 10c, 15c and 25c
Potato Ricers 39c

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Positively the last chance to buy

BEST GRADE OF Percales

—AND—

Bates Gingham

—AT—

12 1/2c YARD

ON SALE

Today, Tomorrow and Saturday

The great advance in Cotton makes it necessary for us to advance our prices. But, before doing so we shall give one last chance to buy at the old price.

Beginning Monday morning, November 28th, the price will be 15c a yard.

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THURSDAY SPECIALS

BASEMENT BARGAIN DEPT.
Bleached Cotton—One case of bleached cotton, full pieces, yard wide; a 10c value, at 7c Yard
Unbleached Cotton—One bale unbleached cotton, full yard wide; a 10c value, at 7c Yard
Curtain Scrim—50 pieces curtain scrim, white, cream and eum, with fancy woven borders; a 10c value, at 7c Yard
Bates Gingham—3 cases Bates Gingham, in remnants, all new fall patterns; a 12 1/2c value, at 9c Yard

READY-TO-WEAR SECTION
Flannellette Petticoats—Ladies' petticoats, made of an excellent quality of outing flannel, in light colors only; a 39c value, at 25c Each
Ladies' Chemise—Nainsook chemise, nicely trimmed, in a great variety of new patterns; a special at 35c Each
MEN'S FURNISHING SECTION
Men's Wool Hose—Blue, black and gray; a 25c value, at 15c Pair
Men's Merino Hose—Black and colors; a 15c value, at 10c Pair

Free Advice

ON YOUR FOOT TROUBLES

Let the Foot Expert at this Store Tell You How to Obtain Instant Relief and Permanent Comfort

He has had years of experience in treating foot ailments, using the celebrated Dr. Wm. M. Scholl's successful methods, and has had many remarkable results. He will be here to give his services free to all

NOVEMBER 23, 24 AND 25

We urge every person within reach of this store, who has foot troubles of any nature whatever, to see this expert and learn how to obtain relief and comfort. It costs you nothing for his services. You will not be under obligation to buy anything.

HAVE YOU CRAMPS AND PAINS THERE?

Have you callouses—corns—bunions—sore, tired, aching feet—hot, tender, perspiring feet—pains in the heels, ankles and limbs—any foot troubles at all?

If you have, you should not fail to avail yourself of this opportunity to learn how to overcome your foot ailments and have perfect comfort.

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Scholl's Foot-Pain-Relief For Tired, Aching Feet, Cramped Feet, etc.



Scholl's Toe-Flex Straightener For Crooked Toes and Blisters, Painful Bunions



Scholl's Bunion Reducer For Bunions and Enlarged Joints



Scholl's Absorbent Pad Remove Corns and Callouses—Prevents Shoe Pressure—One for Every Corn



Scholl's Fine Corn Plaster Relieves Pain Instantly—Removes Oldest Corns in 48 Hours

COACH HAUGHTON FEARS OVER CONFIDENCE

Harvey eleven it was generally
 believed today that it would start the
 game as follows: Coolidge, left end;
 Wheeler, left tackle; Dammun, be-
 hind; Harris, center; Snow, right
 guard; Cline, right tackle; Har-
 ris, right end; Robinson, quarterback; Thach-

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Don't forget the time when
your train for Lowell.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk

George E. Putnam, 445 Middlesex St.	362
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For School Committee (for two years)	
John B. Lombert, 70 Wampanoag street	523
John C. Leggat, 640 Broadway	511
John B. Keyes, 102 Third St.	513
Robert R. Thomas, 24 Long St.	513
John C. Orpben, Jr., 6 Dalton place	514
John R. Curtin, 31 Albion St.	516
William R. Thompson, 48 Grove street	517
Eliz B. Hall, 100 Cross street	521
John C. Boyce, 196 Allen Ave.	522
Blanks	523
Attest,	
Stephen Flynn, City Clerk	

Is large and beautiful. We can please the most careful buyer, both in quality and price. We carry only standard goods that are absolutely reliable. A large line of the popular Wrist Watches in Hamilton, Waltham and Elgin, in 14k solid gold and gold filled. DIAMONDS of the first water; RINGS, BROOCHES, PENDANTS, CHAINS, THIMBLES, SILVER and IVORY TOILET WARE, TEA SERVICES, PLATED and STERLING SILVER TABLE WARE, FINE CUT GLASS, etc., etc. A small deposit and we will hold your selection.

WARM DEBATE AT THE A. F. OF L. CONVENTION

DISCUSSION OVER THE PROTEST AGAINST TEACHING MILITARISM IN SCHOOLS

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 22.—Delegates to the convention of the American Federation of Labor today engaged in a warm debate over a resolution which protested against the teaching of militarism in the public schools.

The preamble set forth that the secretary of war has communicated with public school authorities in various parts of the country, inquiring if they were willing to introduce military training for the boys in the schools, and stating that "the war department would provide instructors and rifles and ammunition."

The committee, to which the resolution was referred, recommended that the resolution be non-contentious and "deemed it of no importance."

Andrew Furuseth, chairman of the committee, declared that while he was opposed to any increase in the standing army, it was his belief that "men who will not fight and women who will not be mothers are an abomination in the world."

The convention adopted the resolution and authorized the appointment of a committee to draw up another resolution, touching on phases of militarism not brought out in the first one.

FEDERAL INVESTIGATION OF INCREASED PRICES

AGENTS SEEK EVIDENCE THAT DEALERS ARE ALLOWING FRUIT TO ROT

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—As a part of the federal investigation of high food prices in progress here, federal agents directed by the United States District Attorney Clynne today sought evidence bearing on reports that produce dealers in territory tributary to Chicago are permitting fruits and vegetables

PRINCE ALEXANDER OF SERBIA VISITS WOUNDED COMPATRIOTS



PRINCE ALEXANDER OF SERBIA VISITS SICK SOLDIERS

With the Serbian soldiers again established on their native soil, at Montenegro, although that city is only in "New Serbia," established by Balkan wars which preceded the great war, the sanguine followers of the prince are already talking of rehabilitating the Serbian kingdom. A provisional capital of a sort has been set up in Montenegro. Should King Peter of Serbia be set again on the throne from which

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

RECESSIONS MARKED THE INITIAL TRADING

BEARISH SENTIMENT AGAIN COUNTERED—U. S. STEEL YIELDED POINT

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Substantial recessions marked today's initial trading, bearish sentiment being again predominant. U. S. Steel yielded only a fraction at the outset, but soon fell about a point. Mariner was heavy with copper, losses in these groups ranging from 1 to almost 2 points. Various industrials, including the paper issues, as well as equipments, were under pressure. Among the few exceptions to the general trend were Lackawanna Steel, Air Brake and American Smelting. A more even tone was shown before the end of the first half-hour.

Cotton Futures
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Cotton futures opened steady. December, 20.55; January, 20.25; March, 20.35; May, 20.60; July, 20.57.

Stocks
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The market was quiet in the early trading today. The tone was easier.

Exchanges
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Exchanges \$713,745,412; balances \$31,195,855.

Receivables Quoted General
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Receivables for the first hour were quite general, substantial buying of specialties on their early decline being a factor. Coppers, motors and shipping shares were strong with petroleum and leather issues. Among the more active stocks, Lackawanna Steel rose over 2 points and Atlantic Gulf & West Indies over 1, with 3 for Bethlehem Steel. Before mid-day another selling movement based in part on reports regarding the status of war contracts, caused fresh selling and renewed heaviness. Bonds were irregular.

Dividend Declared
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The American International corporation today declared an initial dividend of 75 cents a share on common stock payable Dec. 30 to shareholders of record of Dec. 15. Pierre du Pont was elected a director.

Reduction of Dealings
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Reactions of the mid-session were followed by another irregular and tentative recovery on a marked reduction of dealings. The strength of Lackawanna Steel and leather shares was almost entirely noteworthy feature of the period.

FITZGERALD SPENT \$3260
BOSTON, Nov. 22.—John F. Fitzgerald, successful democratic candidate for the United States senate in the recent election, filed a statement today showing expenditures of \$3260. The candidate said all his expenses except \$470 were for printing and postage.

CHILDS CO. DIVIDEND
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The Childs Co. which operates restaurants in more than a score of cities of the United States and Canada today declared an extra dividend of half of one per cent on the common stock of the company in addition to the regular 1 per cent dividend on the common and the regular 14 per cent dividend on the preferred.

STATE \$143,000 RICHER
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 22.—The state treasury today was \$143,000 wealthier as the result of the sale of 1332 bales of cotton from the state penal farm.

SIR HIRAM MAXIM ILL
LONDON, Nov. 22.—Sir Hiram Maxim, inventor of the automatic system of firearms, is critically ill. He is 76 years of age.

IN FIVE MINUTES NO SICK STOMACH, INDIGESTION, GAS
"Pape's Diapepsin" Is the Quickest and Surest Stomach Relief

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach headache, you can surely get relief in five minutes.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula, plainly printed on these fifty-cent boxes of Pape's Diapepsin, then you will understand why dyspeptic troubles of all kinds must stop, and why it relieves, sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes.

"Pape's Diapepsin" is harmless, tastes like candy, though each dose will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite, but what will please you most is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

This city will have many "Pape's Diapepsin" cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be enthusiastic about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever take it for indigestion, gases, heartburn, sourness, dyspepsia, or any stomach misery.

Get some now, this minute, and rid yourself of stomach misery and indigestion in five minutes.

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ADMITTED HAVING SET AN AVERAGE OF TWO FIRES A MONTH DURING PAST TWO YEARS

BOSTON, Nov. 22.—Rouben Levine of the East Boston district pleaded guilty today to an indictment charging arson and was sentenced to serve five to six years in state prison. District Attorney Pelletier stated that Levine admitted having set an average of about two fires a month in local suburbs during the past two years, for which he received from \$50 to \$200 each. His confession, the prosecutor said, implicated many persons, some of whom are already under indictment, and others whose cases will be brought before the grand jury.

WOOL MARKET STRONG AND EXCITED IN LONDON

LONDON, Nov. 22.—The wool market was strong and excited today owing to the stoppage of exports from Australia for various reasons. Private advices indicate the question of exportation of heavy wools to America is still in abeyance. Rumors are current that the authorities intend to commandeer the entire New Zealand clip. The fact that orders for 20,000,000 yards of cloth have been placed for both the British and Russian governments lends color to the rumors which, if confirmed, would indicate that America probably would get considerably less than the 80,000 bales of New Zealand cross breeds allotted last season.

Prices in the London market were forced up 10 to 15 per cent above the previous closing quotations and top were correspondingly dearer at Bradford.

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NEW PARK FOR YANKEES
CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—President D. B. Johnson of the American league is on his way to French Lick, Ind., today, for the purpose of holding a conference with Jacob Ruppert and H. T. Huston, owners of the New York Americans, regarding the location of a new park for the club.

The American league club has a lease on the Polo grounds, for the season of 1917 and according to Mr. Johnson, no attempt will be made to assemble a new plant until 1918.

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MOTORMAN WALSH HELD IN \$2000 FOR TRIAL

PLEADED NOT GUILTY TO AN INDICTMENT CHARGING MANSLAUGHTER

BOSTON, Nov. 22.—Gerald Walsh, motorman of the Boston Elevated railway street car which dropped through a bridge into the harbor, pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with manslaughter today. He furnished bail of \$2000 for trial later. Walsh saved himself by jumping from the car just before it fell.

GERMAN VICTORY IN WALLACHIA IMPORTANT

BERLIN, Nov. 22, by wireless to Sayville.—The defeat of the Rumanians in Wallachia, enabling the Austro-German forces to reach the railroad from Orsova to Craiova, was of even more importance in the Rumanian campaign than the breaking of the Rumanian line in Dobruja, writes the military critic of the Overseas News agency.

With the battle at Timgiujuh on Nov. 18, he says, the Rumanian campaign entered on a new phase.

"This advance to the railroad was carried out with energy and speed," he continues, "and the Rumanians were hung through the door to the Wallachian plains."

"In October there was a violent struggle in northern Rumania for the key positions in the Transylvania mountains, but after the passes were forced the pressure of the Ruman forces increased from day to day with an extension of the front all through the Moldavian mountains and the Wallachian Carpathians as far as Orsova."

After describing the Austro-German advance through the mountain passes, the critic writes:

"The Rumanians offered the most tenacious resistance and made violent counter-attacks, especially in Predal pass, north of Campulung, in Rothern thurn pass and in the Jiu valley. But all these desperate efforts merely cost them the greatest sacrifices without bringing them even local gains, and the advance of the Germans and Austrians was more successful every day. On Nov. 18 the Rumanian defense in the Jiu valley gave way and the Rumanians were defeated decisively, suffering extraordinarily heavy losses. The victorious troops of the central powers followed up their success at once and, notwithstanding the immense difficulties of the snow-covered roads, which were hardly practicable for marching, they were in possession of the Jiu valley and the Wallachian plain. A Rumanian counter-advance from the east had no effect on the decisive battle."

"It is worthy of remark that the Rumanian civilization population excited by the severity of the fighting took part in the fighting. The Ruman troops frequently were fired on from ambush."

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NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—While Yale and Harvard are having it out in the Bowl, Nov. 25, at New Haven, the Army and Navy will be very much occupied in an attempt to annex the Navy goat at the Polo grounds. Uniforms assaying much gold to the ten will deck the sidelines, and President Wilson will be present with his two form smit.

The thing is certain of any Army game and that is that there will be a great deal of the first essential of football which is fight. This is not surprising when it is remembered that the young men at West Point and Annapolis are sent there to learn the fighting profession in the higher branches.

Though the Army-Navy game falls upon the same day as the annual Yale-Harvard embargo, it is certain that there will be inward of 1,000 persons interested in the gridiron proceedings of the Army and Navy. Practically every seat at the Polo grounds has been sold or bid for, and there is a clamor for more.

The Army-Navy game is always popular because of the side show. It is not often that the president, the secretary of the navy and the secretary of war are on exhibition in the same ring with a pretty lively football game, and all for the same price of admission.

Then the game carries what the football writers call "color" of its own. There is the golden Army "A" on a background of military overcoats and some characteristic cadet "stunts" from both colleges; also the prosperous second lieutenants and ensigns are about the pick of the country's young manhood. Layout shows some Army-Navy players who will figure in the coming game. No shows Army team at practice, elegant ready to go in full. 2. Captain McKeown of West Point; 3. Martin of Annapolis; 4. Captain Ward of Annapolis; 5. Captain Ward of Annapolis; 6. Orr, Middlebury; 7. Jones, Army tackle.

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FRENCH GIRL WORKERS FACE TASKS, HAPPY THOUGH COUNTRY BATTLES



FRENCH GIRL AMMUNITION MAKERS

These young Frenchwomen do not seem to be unhappy, although their country is at war, all of the eligible young men are at the front and they themselves are called upon to work hard for "la belle France." They are munition makers going to their daily work. Note the costume they wear.

trousers and close fitting blouses, designed to minimize the danger of any part of the costume catching in the high speed and high powered machinery used in turning out shells. Like Germany, England and other countries, France has put to work hundreds of thousands of women to take the places of men who are fighting.

MOVIE BALL AT BOSTON

Heroes and Heroines of the Silent Drama Attend Dance at Arena—7000 Admirers Enjoy Event

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—To at least 7000 people who attended the movie ball at the Arena last night it seemed as though their favorites of the screen had stepped from the land of film to the land of reality, for stars of the movies in flesh and blood greeted them on all sides.

It was a great, surging crowd that gazed with admiring eyes at the heroes and heroines of the silent drama, spotlighted on the land of film to the land of reality, for stars of the movies in flesh and blood greeted them on all sides.

To use the language of the moving picture directors the scene that spread itself before the eyes of onlookers registered extraordinary action, but when they arrived there came late, but when they arrived there

POLLARD OF BROWN CONSIDERED BEST HALFBACK OF SEASON



PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 23.—Fritz Pollard is the hero of Brown University's football season. The big half-back, who played such a wonderful game against Yale and Harvard, is considered the greatest halfback of the season.

Pollard is being picked by many well informed experts for a place on the All-American eleven. Pollard is a little six footer. In end running, forward passing and in executing the bewildering criss cross, which is one of Brown's main offensive weapons, Pollard has shown unusual skill.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of James E. Lear, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas Nellie A. Lear, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the order named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be ordered by the court, the will of a certain parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge on the second day of December, A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate of said deceased, on or before the first day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

F. M. Esty, Register. James E. O'Donnell, Attorney. n23,29,41.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully I belated and represents George Kouloouvaras of Lowell, in said County, that he was lawfully married to Chaido Kouloouvaras, now of Katabothra, in the Nomarchy of Laconia, Kingdom of Greece, and said Chaido, born in Greece, on the twenty-fifth day of August, A. D. 1902, and thereafter, towards your libellant and the said Chaido Kouloouvaras never lived together as husband and wife in the Commonwealth, but your libellant has lived in this Commonwealth for five years last preceding the filing of this libel, that your libellant has always been faithful to his marriage vows and obligations, but the said Chaido Kouloouvaras, being wholly regardless of the same, at said Katabothra, Greece, on or before the first day of September, 1909, did wilfully and utterly desert your libellant and has continued such desertion from said date thereof to the present time, being more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Chaido Kouloouvaras. There are no children.

Dated this seventeenth day of November, A. D. 1916.

GEORGE KOULOOUVARAS.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court. November 21, A. D. 1916.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of January next, by causing and attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that a copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel—that she may then and there show cause if any she have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk. n23,27,41.

IN HUSTON

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Tewksbury, Mass., Oct. 25, 1916. To the Middlesex County Commission.

Respectfully represent the undersigned inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, in said County, that a way known as Axtel street, which extends from Sprague street (or avenue) to the State Highway should be laid out as a public highway.

Wherefore, we pray you will lay out said Axtel street as a public way: WALTER ADLER, THOS. POOLE, EDWARD W. CLARK, Deputy Sheriff.

A true copy. Attest, EDWARD W. CLARK, Deputy Sheriff.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex, at Lowell, in said County, on the first day of November, in the year of our lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, to wit, by adjournment at Cambridge on the eleventh day of November, A. D. 1916.

On the foregoing petition, Ordered, that the Sheriff of said County, or his Deputy give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein, that said Commissioners will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties at their Court Room, Court House, Cambridge, on Monday, the eighteenth day of December, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, by serving the Clerk of the town of Tewksbury with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon, thirty days at least before said view, and by publishing the same in the Lowell Courier-Citizen and The Lowell Sun, newspapers printed at Lowell, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in the said town of Tewksbury fourteen days before said view, and the return of said view, and the time and place fixed for said view and hearing.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

F. M. Esty, Register.

Copy of petition and order thereon. Attest, WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk. EDWARD W. CLARK, Deputy Sheriff. n16-23-29

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law and all persons interested in the estate of J. H. Kimball, late of Lowell in said County of Middlesex, deceased, testate.

Whereas David W. Dewar, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented his petition for authority to mortgage certain real estate therein described, of the estate of said deceased, to raise the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars, for the purpose of paying debts, legacies and charges of administration.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of December, A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three consecutive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

F. M. Esty, Register. n23,30,46.

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WAGE INCREASE IN LOWELL MILLS

SAYS NEW RAILROADS WOULD REDUCE HIGH COST OF LIVING

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The railroad view of what is the matter with the country's transportation facilities was presented to the joint congressional investigating committee today by Alfred P. Thom, counsel for the railway executives' advisory committee. Mr. Thom, chosen as the first spokesman for the roads when the committee decided to begin its inquiry by hearing their side of the case, blamed the present system of "corrective" regulation, divided between the state and federal

HEARING ON SPALDING ESTATE HELD TODAY

A hearing was held by Judge Kenting in the civil session of superior court in the case of John P. Sawyer, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Sarah R. Spalding vs. the Old Lowell National Bank, Frank E. Dunbar and Arthur C. Spalding appeared for the plaintiff and

DIVORCE DECREES NISI GRANTED HERE TODAY

Two divorce decrees nisi were granted by Judge Kenting in the superior court here this forenoon. In the first case called Mrs. Victoria Ducharme of Lowell was the libellant and Ray Ducharme of Springfield was the libellee. Mrs. Ducharme testified that she was married in this city on Nov. 7, 1907. Three weeks after they were married her husband ran away to Canada, she said, but soon returned and lived with her at 189 Tremont street until May, 1912. For one year, she stated, he did not work and she was obliged to support him. Mrs. Ducharme testified that he gambled away her money and also abused her. He deserted her in May, 1912, and she has not seen him since. At the same time a woman with whom he was friendly disappeared, said the witness. From in May, 1912, Mrs. Ducharme said that her husband ran away once and took all her clothes, leaving her an apron. Mrs. Victoria Ducharme of Springfield, sister-in-law of the libellant, testified that in May, 1912, the libellee and a woman came to her husband in Springfield and purported to be man and wife. They lived there for eight weeks. Ducharme was defaulted and the decree granted. In the second case Victor Deville was granted a divorce nisi from Odette Deville, for alleged desertion. Mr. Deville testified that he was married in 1890 and two years later his wife left him without any apparent reason. A. O. Daniel appeared in both cases.

CHALIFOUX'S
OF THE SQUARE

"Fifteen years before," said the big contractor, "I was kicked out of the country grocery because I persisted in spending my time making miniature houses out of old boxes and barrels. I said to myself: 'I can build houses and I will, and I did.' We have set this phrase before every one of our employees and ourselves too, to memorize and act upon. 'I can and I will' means here that whatever is possible for us to do to make this store, its stocks, its employees and its service more perfect we will if we can."

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COTTON MILLS TO GIVE GENERAL INCREASE

Exact Amount Not Stated But Believed To be 10 Per Cent—Increase Will Take Effect Dec. 4—Announcement Brings Joy to Hearts of Thousands of Operatives

The cotton mills of Lowell will grant a general increase in wages to all their operatives, the increase to take effect Dec. 4. This announcement came this afternoon from officials of the local mills. The amount of the increase has not yet been wholly decided upon but will be announced later. It is understood, however, that it will be in keeping with the ten per cent. increase granted in other mill cities.

Notices announcing the increase were posted in all of the mills this afternoon. The news of the increase brought happiness to thousands of operatives who were facing a list of high prices with which their wages were unable to cope.

Yesterday the mule spinners presented their demand for a ten per cent. increase and the mill officials took the matter under advisement. It is understood, however, that the decision made known today was not influenced in any way by the demand of the mule spinners, as a general increase had been decided upon several days ago.

GREECE REFUSES TO COMPLY WITH THE ALLIES' DEMANDS

LONDON, Nov. 23, 1 p. m.—The Greek government has refused to comply with the demand of the entente allies for the surrender of part of its supplies of arms and ammunition. Reuters Athens correspondent cables. The despatch follows: "The Greek government has refused the demands of Vice-Admiral Du Pourcet that Greece surrender 13 field batteries, 16 batteries of mountain artillery with one thousand shells for each, 10,000 Mannlicher, with 220 cartridges each, 150 machine guns with ammunition and 50 motor vans. "Referring to Admiral Du Pourcet's contention that the cessation of war material to the Bulgarians and Germans had disturbed the equilibrium, the government replied that although it does not desire to enter into the details of that operation it must point out that the cabinet then in power could not approve of resistance to the central powers without abandoning neutrality, but duly protested. It also contends that the guns already taken by the entente are modern, while those taken by Bulgarians were obsolete. "The reply concludes that the surrender of war material for financial compensation or otherwise would constitute a flagrant violation of neutrality and moreover that public opinion will never admit of the forces of Greece being so neutrally unable to defend her vital interests if these were endangered."

WHAT AMERICA HAS DONE FOR FRANCE IN WAR

PARIS, Nov. 23.—In the amphitheatre of the Sorbonne today was held the first of a series of meetings which will carry throughout this country, to civilians and to the soldiers at the front, the story of what America has done for France during the war. The meeting was held by official approval under the auspices of the association known as "The Effort of France and the Effort of America," Alexandre Millerand, former minister of war, delivered the principal address. M. Millerand spoke with great earnestness and feeling of American generosity and of the personal devotion to the French cause of thousands of individual Americans, many hundreds of whom had come to France and imperilled their lives to serve the nation. "There will forever remain sheltered under the mingled folds of the Stars and Stripes and the red, white and blue of the French flag, and preserved in the annals of the two countries, the names of the young American heroes who have fallen gloriously on the field of battle as aviators, as soldiers of the foreign legion, or in succoring the wounded. "In this connection, he named Sergeant Norman Prince, Private Kitten Rockwell and Corporal Victor Chapman of the aviation service and Rene Phellippon, H. W. Farnsworth and Allan Soeger of the foreign legion as among those Americans who had sacrificed their lives. Alluding to the community of effort for France, M. Millerand named many persons and societies. "The great work undertaken by the father of the American republic in 1776 upon the soil of the new world," the speaker continued, "is being completed by the sons who came to the old soil of France in 1914. Blood and tears shed in common in the new wars for independence will render forever sacred and indissoluble the union of the two sister republics. "A telegram of greetings signed by 25 Americans was read by Emile Bontroux. Among the signers were Theodore Roosevelt, Edna Root, Thomas A. Edison, Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, Robert Bacon, Myron D. Herrick, Frank A. Vanderlip, Mrs. W. A. Vanderbilt, Miss Anne Morgan, A. Barton Hepburn, James M. Beck, William D. Guthrie, Miss Elizabeth Marbury, Miss Elsie De Wolfe, Elsie Morgan and Harriet Wendell. "The citizens of the republic of the United States address our affectionate salutations to the citizens of our great and dear sister republic. It was the breath of France that gave us life. It was the idealism of France that formed our minds. Our thoughts turn toward her and our hearts beat for her in the struggle she is sustaining. "We are infinitely touched that French citizens, summoned by the com-

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HERE'S AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE DOPISTS TO DOPE AND HOPE

Speculation is rife in local political circles as to the outcome of the coming municipal election, Dec. 12 and the surprises of the nominations are quoted to offset anything like a positive prediction by any of the candidates or their friends. It is also being said freely that some of the successful candidates drew practically their full voting strength in the nominations and that a great deal depends on the way the support of defeated candidates will swing. The recent vote was more non-partisan than in any campaign of recent years and the consensus of opinion seems to be that the election vote will be decided by the personal popularity of the respective candidates and by any alliances that may be made between them. In this connection a comparison between the votes for nomination and for election in 1915 will prove of interest.

For Nomination		For Election	
Morse	3299	7250	
Donnelly	2946	6761	
Brown	2686	6489	
Campbell	2584	5292	

From this table it will be seen that of the two successful candidates, Commissioner Morse gained 3291 votes from nomination to election, and Commissioner Donnelly gained 3711. In some quarters it is said that the high vote this year will be considerably in excess of 7000, and it is expected that the activities of the candidates between now and Dec. 12 will bring out a heavy vote. The recent vote for the nomination will prove of renewed interest, as compared with the vote of last year, and one may speculate freely as to how the vote for election will compare with the vote of 1915.

For Nomination		For Election	
Brown	2686	6489	
Putnam	2751		
Duncan	2112		
Warnock	2337		

The total number of male voters registered is now 16,459, only 10,830 of which showed up at the primaries. This gives the candidates almost 6000 voters to work on between now and election and those who voted for the defeated candidates will support this or that candidate according to their respective views or interests.

Following is the total male vote of Lowell by wards and precincts:

	Prec.	1	2	3	Tot
Ward 1	1	312	650	377	1769
Ward 2	2	103	252	634	1868
Ward 3	3	384	777	792	2259
Ward 4	4	352	454	559	1365
Ward 5	5	367	283	521	1232
Ward 6	6	263	856	836	1955
Ward 7	7	625	387	522	2035
Ward 8	8	526	538	630	2294
Ward 9	9	698	783	807	3196
Total male vote					16,459

While there is considerable interest in the school committee contest it is completely overshadowed by that shown in the fight for commissioner. In addition to the 16,459 male voters registered, there are 6559 women voters, with the following ward totals: Ward 1, 761; ward 2, 250; ward 3, 902; ward 4, 832; ward 5, 149; ward 6, 511; ward 7, 990; ward 8, 1052; and ward 9, 1096.

mitter of The Effort of France and Its Allies are confined at the Sorbonne to say they appreciate the little we have done for them. All we have done in the past, all we can do in the future will be only partial payment on account of the debt of gratitude we have contracted towards France, a debt that history will never extinguish."

MEETING OF OVERSEERS

The following men from Lowell and surrounding towns attended the 34th annual meeting of the National Association of Woolen and Worsted Overseers, which was held recently in Paul Revere hall, Boston, Mass.: C. H. Blackburn, Jear S. Borg, John Dobbs, Thomas M. Goulding, Charles P. McGill, Craven Mingley, D. A. Provost and Thomas Southern of Lowell; E. N. Brooks and Bernard Folleson, North Andover and D. Duffy, Chelmsford Centre.

A DIFFERENT SULLIVAN

The Daniel J. Sullivan who has brought suit against Mr. Frank Richard is not Daniel J. Sullivan, the well known conductor of the Bay State street railway.

BARK ABANDONED

HALIFAX, N.S., Nov. 23.—The Norwegian bark Sara, from Bay Verte for Liverpool, with a cargo of deals, was abandoned at sea on Nov. 22, according to a message received by the marine and fisheries agent here today.

Interest Begins Saturday, Dec. 2

SAVE MONEY

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By purchasing my present stock of goods last February, I am in a position to save you 20% on each garment.

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EVENING OF PLEASURE AT COLONIAL HALL

LOWELL TEACHERS' ORGANIZATION GIVES MUSICAL TREAT—WORK OF ARTISTS ENJOYED

The Lowell Teachers' organization lived up to its reputation of providing good things for the Lowell public when it arranged for the concert which was given at Colonial hall last evening before a large audience. It was the opening concert of a series of three, and the great majority of those who attended will look forward to the others with pleasure.

The artists last evening were Mrs. Jeska Swartz-Morse, contralto; Mr. Josef Malkin, violinist; and Mrs. Mary Humphrey-Tower, accompanist. The program was as follows:

- Aria
Mon coeur s'ouvre a ta voix. Saint Saens
(From Samson and Delilah)
Mrs. Swartz-Morse
Sonata
Adagio—Mendelssohn—Locatelli
Mr. Malkin
Old English Songs
(a) Passing 1589.....Purcell
(b) Cherry Ripe 1786.....Horn
(c) Long, Long Ago, 1797.....Bayly
Mrs. Swartz-Morse
(a) Nocturne.....Chopin
(b) Schumann's "Liedchen"
Mr. Malkin
German Songs
(a) Die Liebe ist mein.....Brahms
(b) Ich hab' dich lieb.....Weingartner
(c) Ich hab' dich lieb.....Weingartner
Mrs. Swartz-Morse
(a) Romance Sans Paroles, Malkin
(b) Aria.....Bach
(c) Elfenlied.....Leporello
Song
.....Massenet
Mrs. Swartz-Morse

Mrs. Jeska Swartz-Morse is already a singer with an established reputation which she has earned by her work and consistent development. She has a very captivating stage presence without which the most glorious voice loses some of its charm. Her voice is rich and full, and she sings with ease and intelligence, bringing out the atmosphere of her selections by subtle suggestions of attitude and delicate shading of expression. Her voice is rich and full, and there is no marked change in quality throughout its long range. Some of the songs were pitched in a high key but she sang them in a high key and again she would sing a passage in a low register.

Thin Folks Who Would Be Fat

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"I'd certainly give most anything to be able to eat up a few pounds and stay that way," declares every ex-cassidy thin man or woman. Such a result is not impossible, despite past failures. Most thin people are victims of mal-nutrition, a condition which prevents the body from taking up the food they are, when the powers of nutrition are normal. Instead of getting into the blood, nutrients stay in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste.

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A Thanksgiving Proclamation

Every former sufferer from decayed teeth has reason to bless and thank the day they sought my services. From that day to this every day has been one of thanksgiving and contentment. It is foolish to keep putting off that often deferred visit to my offices. Delays only increase the trouble and expense.

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ter with great power and richness of tone.

The Saint Saens number was given with restraint and deliberation, as though the words meant something. The group of old English songs was a delight, there being a natural appeal in their simple arrangement and wholesome sentiment. Some of the songs were of the "Long Ago" type, but a love song had been a love song since the days of the Can. The German songs had a charm all their own. There was an archness in the Brahms number and the beautiful dream song of "Gied" was very effectively given. The Massenet number at the close was such as to make one forget the last of the songs.

Mr. Malkin played pieces covering a wide range on an instrument that in the hands of a lesser artist might become monotonous. The Locatelli sonata gave him an opportunity to show his mastery of technique and the Chopin nocturne gave him a chance to really demonstrate his control of moods. The Franconeur-Kreisler selection had a Tost feeling of laughter that hides sadness and the Bacharia was played with color and expression. The lighter pieces at the close were refreshing.

Mrs. Humphrey-Tower confirmed the impression made here last season, again demonstrating her ability to accompany vocal and instrumental numbers so as to keep the audience's interest in the whole. Her playing in the Elfenlied number was full of life and sparkle.

CAR SPATTERED MUD ON HIS CLOTHES

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Alex Mailoux of 53 A street, Lowell, owner of the New England Express of 4 Home street, Lowell, appeared before the state highway commission yesterday to defend himself in a complaint brought against him by Robert J. Ferris of Somerville.

Ferris charges in his complaint that on Sept. 15, at about 12.35 p. m., Mailoux, who was driving a large truck of the New England Express, was negligent and careless in driving the car and spattered the clothes of the complainant. The trouble occurred on South Market street, Boston.

The members of the board first asked Ferris to tell his story. He told that he was standing on the sidewalk of South Market street when the truck of the New England Express passed, he estimated the speed of the car at about 15 miles per hour. He also told the commission that he had considerable difficulty in securing the name of the owner of the truck.

In answer to the complaint Mailoux stated that his truck weighs one ton, unloaded, that he had a 3 1/2 ton load on at the time of the trouble. He said that he did not know that he had spattered Mr. Ferris at the time but later was approached by the complainant and then gave him the name of the company. He said he would have been willing to pay the cost of cleaning Mr. Ferris' clothes, but nothing was asked of him at the time.

Mailoux denied that he was driving the truck at a speed of 15 miles an hour, stating that this was impossible under the circumstances. His remarks were substantiated by Edgar C. Bibeault of 110 Fourth street, Lowell, who is a helper on the truck.

After the hearing was closed, the commission announced that they would place the complaint on file and no further action would be taken. The member spoke to Mailoux in private, however, and told him to be a little more careful in the future and suggested to him that in the near future he might send Mr. Ferris a check sufficient to cover the cost of cleaning the suit.

HOYT.

BILLY SUNDAY SAYS HE HAS DEVIL ON THE RUN

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Twenty-three thousand more have heard Billy Sunday in Boston, 8000 yesterday afternoon—the largest weekday afternoon crowd yet—and the 15,000 who fled into the Tabernacle last night, half expecting to hear the evangelist call for converts and to see the famous saint dust-trail-biting for the first time in this city.

But Billy was not ready last night, whether the sinners were or not.

Sunday was not ready for trail-biters last night, but he was ready for the devil in every guise, and never since the evangelist came to Boston has he called that satanic personage so many plain and uncompromising things as he pinned on him last night.

He had the devil on the run in Boston, he declared, and explaining just what he meant Sunday received the loudest burst of applause that has greeted him in the Boston Tabernacle. He was shouting:

"Say, men and women, they say that 10,000 votes will make old Boston dry—then in God's name let's say Sunday was shirking his loudest, but the end of the sentence was to reach from his pulpit, even to the press benches. The 15,000 were howling cheers at him.

Out of a clear sky had come his reference to the liquor question in Boston; but you might have thought they had been primed for it.

"For nearly a minute they yelled and clapped, before Sunday could go on:

"I'll do my best for the dirty bunch! I've got something up my sleeve for that bunch!"

Again the crowd cheered him on.

"What a glorious thing it would be to have it go over the wires to all the cities of the world, Massachusetts, was the loudest city in the world without a saloon!"

Here are some of the salient sentences in Sunday's sermons:

A lot of you fools think I'm throwing rocks at you when I'm hitting the devil.

That we do have imaginary sicknesses, everybody knows. Well, that can be cured by imaginary remedies.

Money is often a through ticket to hell.

I wonder how many men here will go to heaven on what your wives know about you, what your stenographers know about you.

If you know anything good about anyone, tell it out—if you don't, keep your damned mouth shut.

If I thought I had to please everybody or miss heaven, I'd simply have to throw up the sponge and take the count.

The trouble with some churches is that they think the preacher is a sort of ecclesiastical locomotive who will shoot and puff the whole bunch to glory.

The people of the church are like squirrels in a cage—lots of activity but nothing accomplished.

HOLYOKE CARMEN VICTORS

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—The members of the Holyoke Carmen union in Holyoke have won a victory over the devil in a suit filed by the board of arbitration consisting of Mayor John J. White of Holyoke, representing the men; William H. Brooks, representing the railway company; and James L. Carter of Boston, who was named chairman of the board by the governor.

The new scale of wages is as follows:

First six months, 27 cents per hour; second six months, 28 cents per hour; third year, 29 cents per hour; and thereafter, 30 cents per hour.

This at the end of the fourth year of employment the Holyoke men get one cent an hour more than the elevated men and three cents an hour more than the employees of the Bay State roadway receive at the end of six years of service.

WHIST AND SOCIAL

Good Attendance at Benefit For St. Louis' Church Held in Parochial School Hall

Over two persons attended the whist and social, conducted at St. Louis' parochial school hall last evening, for the benefit of the church. The affair was given under the auspices of St. Louis' society and the receipts of the evening were very substantial.

At the social part of the card party, which was played under the direction of St. Louis' society, the following sang some songs and recited:

St. Louis' society, Mrs. Joseph Massie, secretary; Mrs. Walter Gendron, Mrs. Narcisse Gaudin, Mrs. Alberte Brachard, Mrs. Cecile Caron, Mrs. Edmond Gaudin, Mrs. R. St. Jean, Mrs. J. Lemay, Mrs. Elou N. Brault, Mrs. A. J. Gervais, Mrs. A. Bolduc and Mrs. Jules Morinette.

TOWNSHIRE GRANGE

At a regular meeting of the members of Townshire grange, which was held Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Master, Frank A. Haines, overseer, Mrs. Maud Griffin, lecturer, Jesse French, steward; Fred Garland, assistant steward; G. A. Norrie, chaplain; Joe Thompson, clerk; O. W. Clark, secretary; Miss Miller, Mrs. Chapman, patroness; Lutz Palmer, Mrs. Estelle Lewis, lady assistant; Carrie M. Chase, pianist; Harry C. Dawson, executive committee for three years and George Gould, executive committee for two years. The installation will be held on the next Tuesday night, January.

INCREASE FOR 2000

LAWRENCE, Nov. 23.—The 2000 operation in the Everett mills were notified today that a 10 per cent increase in wages will go into effect Dec. 1.

IN BOSTON

The Sun is on sale every day in both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.



Have you seen those lovely metal hot water bottles at Howard's? Cannot leak and practically indestructible. A duty dandy bag goes with every bottle. \$1.25 up.

HOWARD The Druggist, 197 Central St.

STEFANSSON WRITES TO REAR ADMIRAL PEARY

OUTLINES HIS PLANS OF EXPLORATIONS FOR THE NEXT TWO YEARS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—In a letter to Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, made public today, Vilhjalmur Stefansson, commander of the Canadian Arctic expedition, outlined his plans of explorations for the next two years and explained what steps had been taken to rescue him under certain conditions.

"Should nothing be heard from us by November, 1917," Mr. Stefansson wrote, "it is to be presumed that something beyond our control has delayed us. I am of the opinion that in the spring of 1918 a ship or ships should be sent north from the Atlantic to look for us if we have not been heard from then."

"My best guess is that the Bear will winter next year on the south coast of Melville Island, but if ice conditions are exceptionally good we may attempt to get indefinitely farther north. I have given the government a list of places at which bearings may be built and records may be left either in 1917 or later by us."

Mr. Stefansson expressed the hope that he would be able to approach near MacMillan's farthest coming from the west that he could demonstrate the presence or absence of Crocker Land. The letter is dated Cape Koller, Banks Island, Jan. 11, 1916.

GERMAN LEVY ON BELGIUM

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The German levy on Belgium has been increased from 40,000,000 francs a month to 60,000,000 according to a Reuters telegram.

The dispatch says the new order was issued by the governor-general of Belgium and was signed by the Duke of Wurttemberg and Gen. Friedrich von Falkenhausen. It states that the levy is to pay the cost of maintenance of the German army of occupation and the German administration of the occupied territory.

DAMAGES OF \$44,200

Trustees Awarded That Amount With Interest From Railroad For Damage Caused By Noise and Smoke

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Nathan Matthews and George L. Howe, trustees of the Hotel Oxford and the Oxford terrace properties, are entitled to \$44,200 damages, with interest from Dec. 1, 1909, to June 30, 1916, from the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad company, according to the finding of ex-Judge Robert O. Harris as auditor.

The action was for damages for injury of buildings and depreciation of rental values caused by the noise and smoke of the defendant company.

PUPILS ESCAPE FIRE

WHITINSVILLE, Nov. 23.—One hundred and seventy pupils in the four-room Clarke School building, Cross street, were dismissed in 12 minutes yesterday morning, shortly after 6 o'clock, when a fire was discovered in the basement. Because of the fire, the school was closed for some time and the pupils were taken to an overhead room with smoke.

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MRS. CARPENTER TO
FIGHT FOR HER SON

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 23.—Mrs. Marguerite Paul Carpenter of Wolfboro and Boston has asked to be appointed sole guardian of her son, Ralph Carpenter, born Feb. 13, 1907. A petition to that effect was filed yesterday in the office of the judge probate for the county of Carroll by Mrs. Carpenter's attorney, Streeter, Demond, Woodworth & Sulloway of this city, and Walter I. Badger of Boston.

This action is a reply to the petition of Mrs. Carpenter's husband, Alvin, Ralph G. Carpenter, died in the same county Nov. 8, asking that his mother, Mrs. Emma G. Carpenter, wife of Geo. A. Carpenter of Wolfboro, be appointed guardian of her grandson.

The boy is now with his grandmother at Wolfboro.

ARMY TO LEAVE TOMORROW

WEST POINT, N. Y., Nov. 23.—For the Army eleven this is the last day at home prior to the same with the Army on Saturday. The squad will leave here tomorrow morning for New York city, where the contest is to be played.

The coaches planned to have today's practice consist simply of position and signal drills, with a brief session of punting.

The soldiers' backfield has been virtually selected—Gerhardt at quarter, Olliphant at left half, Place at right half and Vigil at full.

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of the Lowell Business Men's battalion, there would be no question of getting men for our army and the National Guard. He outlined his experiences and the experiences of his brigade on the border.

Work on the border, he said, as carried out by the National Guard, must be of the kind called regular routine duty, the same kind of work that is done in any reserve camp, with the possibility of some day crossing the border adding a little additional "pep." Nothing, to be of any value, must be done in a half-hearted way. It must be a dedicated place in the shortest possible time is the most valuable. In this respect Massachusetts stood first of all the states.

The call to mobilize came on the 15th day of June and before midnight the troops were on their way, following the route to Framingham.

On the Sunday following, the day upon which the troops were called out, orders were received by General Sweetser to be prepared to move from the mobilization camp on Monday afternoon, or the following day, and he was instructed to buy 500 horses in the interim. The Massachusetts troops, continuing their splendid record of the civil war, were the first of the National Guard to get out.

On the 17th of the seven days' journey to the border. The trip to the border was most interesting, and all along the line, in every city, town and hamlet through which they passed, people were cheering and waving flags in honor of the "Blue and Gray." It was a most impressive sight, and the spirit which went out all feeling of state lines.

Upon arriving at El Paso, work of the hardest kind began. Besides the outpost work, the constant drilling and the maneuvering, there was the work of erecting the fortifications. In June 2000 soldiers arrived and these had to be fitted out and trained. One of the first things attempted was to put the men in the best possible physical condition. The climate was hot and dry

and the northern boys must become acclimated. So much work was there, that often it was amusing to see recruits who had enlisted for the express purpose of fighting the Mexicans and "handling the rifle," handling little else but the rifle and the gun.

Many recruiting recruits of camp life were given. A recruiting station was maintained two or six miles from the camp, and to this station details of men often were sent to bring back a requisition of mules, animals which were necessary to be harnessed and shod. As the recruits were being drilled, the task of moving the animals on the open prairie and breaking them to their military duties.

The troops at the border met with some hardships and suffering, but soldiers on any campaign might meet with the same. Fortunately, there was no real fighting. There was an attitude of watchful working rather than watchful waiting. At first they were encouraged by the prospect of possible action across the border, but, when

it became known that they were not to go into Mexico, this fact took much of the "pep" and enthusiasm out. Then came the real test of courage, the duty grined of routine, with little excitement, and the long wait for orders to return. Massachusetts' has been ready to feel proud of the work of its recruits. The details of the largest brigade on the border, the work necessary was splendidly performed, and the men were brought back in a finer physical, mental and moral condition than when they went out. In closing, the speaker commended the equipment of his brigade, and spoke of the courage of the Sixth regiment in remaining at home and, in spite of its disappointment, in keeping its organization complete.

Major Charles Cahill, a former resident of this city, was next introduced and he related of a most interesting description of the life at El Paso and the city itself. He was given the reception.

LANSING TALKS ON PROPOSED EMBARGO

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The department of state has no views on the subject of the proposed food embargo, Secretary Lansing said today. "That is purely a domestic question," he added, "and the fact that the department is not discussing any such embargo, so he does not think it concerns international relations in any way."

Such action, it is said, could hardly be objected to by any foreign government in view of the fact that they have taken such action where necessary for public safety.

No similarity could be drawn, it was said, between the proposed embargo and the shipment of munitions.

INVESTIGATORS AT WORK

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Evidence bearing on advanced food prices gathered by federal investigators will not be presented to the federal grand jury until some time in January, it was learned today. No tangible evidence sufficient for an indictment is contained in the investigators' reports, it was said.

United States District Attorney Clynne said rumors that produce dealers had bought large quantities of foodstuffs then allowed them to pass in the belief or on side tracks in order to boost prices, had proven unfounded.

FOUNDER OF GREENACRE COLONY IS DEAD

MISS SARAH J. FARMER PASSED AWAY AT FARMER HOMESTEAD AT ELIOT, ME.

ELIOT, Me., Nov. 23.—Miss Sarah J. Farmer, founder of the Greenacre colony, died at the Farmer homestead here just before midnight, last night, it was learned today.

Free discussion of religious subjects which was the object of the Greenacre colony attracted to it leading clergymen and writers during the past 20 years. The colony became divided by fractional differences and Miss Farmer in 1910 was declared insane and sent to an asylum. Since that time she had been involved in much litigation. In July last, an unsuccessful effort was made to remove Miss Farmer from a sanitarium at Portsmouth, N. H., where she had been under restraint for some time. A month later, she was taken from the sanitarium and brought over the state boundary line to Eliot and placed under the care of George E. Hammond, her guardian in this state.

Miss Farmer, who was the daughter of Moses G. Farmer, a man of wealth and an electrical expert, devoted much of the fortune which she inherited to various sects. She was 70 years of age.

DUTCH STEAMER SUNK

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The Dutch steamer Helma from Rotterdam for New York in ballast has been sunk by mines in the North sea, according to a dispatch from Hull today to the Central News.

DANGEROUS BLAST IN DUMMER ST. EXTENSION

Vasilios Petros, a barber at 370 Market street, had a narrow escape from serious injury this afternoon when a large piece of stone was sent flying through the window of his shop by a blast fired by city employees employed in laying a sewer through the Dummer street extension. Several panes of glass were broken and the entire neighborhood was badly shaken as a result of the blast.

The blast was fired at 1:45 o'clock and boulders went high into the air and several pieces of rocks of various dimensions went flying across the street.

MAYOR MITCHELL THREATENS THE COAL DEALERS

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—A threat to buy coal and deliver it to small consumers in the city street cleaning wagons at reasonable prices unless the dealers bring present prices down, was made today by Mayor Mitchell. He said he had been making an investigation of the exorbitant prices of coal and as a result had reached the conclusion that "some dealers in the city have taken advantage of an apparent shortage of the supply."

The mayor said that the producers and large dealers promised him to do all in their power to relieve the situation. If their efforts did not succeed, he said, he would take his threatened course through the mayor's food supply committee from which, through George W. Perkins, the chairman, he received an offer of whatever financial aid is necessary. Any profits will be distributed to charities, he said. Dealers who conferred with the mayor today agreed to send a letter to small dealers warning them that if they charged exorbitant prices their supplies would be cut off.

A. F. OF L. CONVENTION

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 23.—The convention of the American Federation of Labor today voted to suspend the federation charter of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers unless it revokes on or before April 1, 1917, the charter it granted to New York city dock builders local. It is charged in resolutions adopted that the members of the local were employed by contracting dock builders of New York to fill the places of men who went on strike to secure an increase of wages.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

THE E CHILDREN AND THE CHICKS

Once upon a time the three E children went with a little friend to visit a chicken farm. It was just after Easter and there were several hundred of tiny, fluffy little chicks running around in the big yard. They were so tame that the children were able to catch as many as they wished and to hold them in their hands while they fed them with bread crumbs.

Ethel wanted to take one home, but Edward told her she had better not for he said he knew rabbits were very fond of little chickens and he guessed their new pet rabbit, Eve, would make a meal of one very quickly. It was taken home. So Ethel gave it a party and let it down with the others, and then ran off to see the bigger chickens. After they had looked about all they wanted, the man who owned the farm said he had an incubator that was hatching some chickens and asked the children if they didn't want to go into the incubator and watch some chicks hatch. They were delighted and went into a tiny building where on all sides were queer looking cases with glass on the front side. He took them to one end of the building where a big incubator stood filled with eggs laid on long trays.

As the children stood looking at the eggs one of them moved just a little and then from one side to the other and the man told them to watch it very carefully. It rolled from side to side and suddenly at one end the shell began to break and in a minute a little fluffy head came out at the opening. Soon more of the eggs began to bob and other chickens came out into the world.

The children thought this was wonderful and wanted to watch awhile longer but when they saw the man take the chicks out of the incubator and put them in a box that he called a brooder, they were at once interested to see what kind of a home the little chicks were going to have.

When they got to the brood house they found it very warm and filled with boxes where the chickens were put to be kept warm and dry until they were large enough to care for themselves with the larger chickens. By this time Edna said it was time to go home and they thanked the man and ran home to tell the rest of the family all about the great day they had had.

HOTEL PROFITS BIGGEST ON RECORD

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Last summer's shark scare, the epidemic of influenza paralysis and "war prosperity" contributed to making the profits of hotel keepers in New York city and other cities of the state the biggest on record. John McGlynn, president of the New York State Hotel Men's association, so declared in an address here today at the convention of the association. The shark scare made New York city a summer resort, the paralysis epidemic kept permanent patrons from traveling and there was an influx of buyers from western houses, he said.

APPRAISING THE RAILROAD SYSTEMS OF COUNTRY

PHYSICAL VALUATION OF NEW ORLEANS, TEXAS & MEXICO RAILROAD ANNOUNCED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The physical valuation of the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico railroad, announced today by the interstate commerce commission, places the cost of reproduction at \$3,855,526. It is capitalized at \$4,938,431. The report shows the original cost of the line equipped was \$12,194,251. The record cost of road equipment was found usefully large.

The railroad is part of the Gulf Coast lines which skirt the Gulf coast from New Orleans to Brownsville.

The announcement of valuation was the second the commission had made in its work of appraising the railroad systems of the country.

HELD FOR GRAND JURY

WARREN, R. I., Nov. 23.—Antonio Carotimmi was held for the grand jury today after a hearing in the district court here on charges of manslaughter for the death of Mrs. Alvin P. Norton, and assault upon Bradshaw Bradshaw, both of Bristol. The defendant, who lived in the same house with Mrs. Norton's family, is alleged to have attacked the couple after Bradshaw had called at the house on Oct. 21. Mrs. Norton, who was wounded three times by shots from a revolver, survived for several weeks.

CROSS COUNTRY RACE

ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 23.—Coach Jack Maudsley and his squad of eight Cornell runners left Ithaca today for New Haven where on Saturday they will compete in the annual intercollegiate cross country race. The team will remain at the Hotel Stratfield at Bridgeport over Friday night, going to New Haven Saturday morning.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Today's Fashion Hint



NEW COMPLICATIONS IN U-BOAT SITUATION

BERLIN, Nov. 21, by wireless to The Associated Press, via Sayville, Nov. 23.—A period of complications may again be impending in German-American relations. Germany's conduct of submarine warfare has brought forth an abundant crop of American acquiesces (of which Joseph C. grew, the American charge, recently has filed no less than ten-five of them today. Six remained to be answered, including the cases of the Marina, on which a number of Americans appear to have been killed, and the liner Arabia, the sinking of which, the American government declares, appears to be inconsistent with the promises of the German government regarding the treatment of passenger liners.

The United States bases its attitude on the case of the Arabia on the assumption that it was unarmed and torpedoed without warning and is unable to see that there was adequate justification for forcing the passengers into the boats. Washington believes the submarine commander, on ascertaining that they were women and children on the decks, should have refrained from making an attack. Germany in the four cases in regard to which replies already have been made was found to have fairly convincing answers, which it is believed may put quite a different aspect on affairs. It is pointed out here that according to testimony of her own passengers, the Arabia was armed and used her cannon, that the sea was smooth and that other vessels were near. It is argued that the Arabia, having on board a large number of civilian workers should be regarded as a transport.

OFFICIALS INTERESTED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The world-

NO WOUNDED MEN ON THE BRITANNIC

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Press despatches from Athens to the effect that there were no wounded on board the hospital ship Britannic when it was sunk off the Greek coast were confirmed today by the admiralty, which made the following announcement:

"No wounded were aboard the Britannic on which there were only the ship's crew and the hospital staff."

NO AMERICANS ABOARD

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The statement was credited yesterday to the British consulate in this city that Americans nurses and surgeons were aboard the British hospital ship Britannic, reported sunk in the Aegean sea, but later it was denied by the ranking consular official that there was any basis for the statement.

SIR GEORGE WHITE DEAD

He Had Established the First Manufactory for Making Airships in England

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Sir George White died last night.

Sir George established the first manufactory of airships in England. He was a pioneer of electric street traction being the first to introduce it in London. He was 62 years old and received the title of baronet in 1904.

TO ISSUE IRON MONEY

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 23, via London.—The National Tidende says that as a result of negotiations between Denmark, Sweden and Norway, iron money is shortly to be issued in place of copper coin in two and five ore pieces. These coins hitherto have been made from copper plates imported from England.

BACK FROM NEW YORK

The manager of the Lenkin Cloak and Suit store has returned from New York. He made a large purchase of the latest fashions and bargains in ladies' apparel.



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Their reputation for tailoring, materials and workmanship is country wide. The makers take the loss. No duplicates. Once sold no more.

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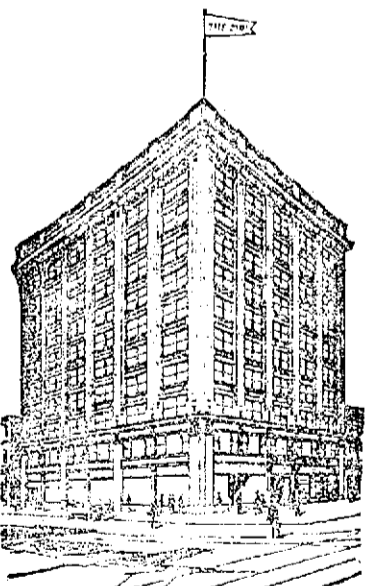
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THE SPELLBINDER

As was expected, a light vote was cast in Tuesday's municipal primaries, not quite two-thirds of the total registration appearing at the polls. Lowell has 16,445 registered male voters and 10,885 of them showed up at the primaries. The light vote, however, was foreseen as there was comparatively little interest in the contests prior to the caucuses. Ward 9 cast the largest vote, 1383, while the two big republican wards, three and eight, were somewhat apathetic, the former casting a total vote of 1271 and the latter only 1287. It was predicted that the democrats would outnumber the republicans at primary voting by a 60-40 percentage, yet on the totals the three democratic wards cast the smallest votes, though they are small wards anyway. In ward 2 the total vote was 1013; ward 3, 1093 and ward 5, 977.

Viewing the results from a partisan standpoint, and there are many voters who still adhere to partisan voting in municipal affairs, the situation is most peculiar. Lowell is a democratic city; the democratic majority being at least 1000. In Tuesday's primaries there were four nominal republicans and four nominal democrats seeking four nominations and while the democrats were supposed to have the larger vote in the primaries yet with twice as many republicans as democrats seeking nominations, the city democratic party, four nominees went to republicans, and not one democrat landed, James P. Miskella failing to get in, by the narrow margin of 62 votes.

While democrats voted for republicans and republicans voted for democrats in some instances, a third party appeared in the middle and showed strength, the organized labor party. If you will, for the organized labor men supported Frank A. Warnock more soundly than they ever supported a candidate in the past and Mr. Warnock as a result, was nominated. Mr. Warnock received nearly 1000 votes more this year than he polled one year ago, his vote at that time being 1433. There were no checkers at the polling places and no particular effort was made to get out the vote. The primaries closed one hour earlier this year, and nobody appeared at the polls at the change in the hours for voting within three hours after the polls closed the results were on The Sun bulletin boards.

What the Women Did
Both the editor of the Courier-Citizen and "As She Sees It" will be interested to learn that every woman suffrage state of the Union showed a remarkable change in the presidential vote over that of eight years ago, according to the best figures for the 1916 contest. The eight suffrage states which have been admitted to the Union since the ratification of the amendment showed a remarkable reversal of form, Washington, a bed-rock republican state, which went to woman suffrage in 1910, cast its republican plurality from 52,000 in 1908 to less than 12,000 this year.

Oregon, giving women the suffrage in 1912, gave Taft a plurality of 25,000, and gave Hughes less than 5000.

California, which let women vote in 1911, has turned its republican plurality of 86,000 to a democratic plurality of 500 to 6000.

Idaho, one of the old suffrage states, having gone in in 1896, turned a republican plurality of 20,000 into a democratic plurality of 15,000 or more.

Montana, becoming a woman suffrage state in 1914, made the most remarkable change of all, turning a republican plurality of about 30,000 into a democratic plurality of 35,000 or more.

Wyoming, a suffrage state in 1890, changed from 6000 republican to 4000 democratic in a total vote of a little over 40,000.

Utah, the home of Reed Smoot, of the old guard which gave women the suffrage in 1870, also showed a remarkable change, turning a republican plurality of about 19,000 to a democratic plurality of 22,000.

Arizona, becoming a suffrage state in 1912, gave a democratic plurality of less than 2000 five years ago, and a democratic plurality of 1000 this year.

Colorado, also another old suffrage state, having granted women the vote in 1893, made a most remarkable change. The democratic plurality in 1908 was less than 3000, but this year it is about 62,000.

Kansas, the home of the staunch republican, where women got the vote in 1912, gave Taft a plurality of 36-

1000; she gave Wilson a plurality of 26,000.

In Illinois, where a million men voted in 1908, they gave the republican candidate a plurality of 224,000; when a half million women were added, the democratic candidate was beaten in 1916 by 105,000. If the women there had voted as did the men in 1908 and the men had also done the same, Mr. Hughes would have carried the state by about 340,000.

Some years ago I reported a big rally in old Huntington hall, and a republican rally at that. One of the speakers, if memory serves me correctly, was Senator Beveridge who, toward the close of a forcible speech, commented upon the large number of women in the audience, and then eloquently eulogized the American woman. Mentioning Cleopatra, Marie Antoinette, Joan of Arc, Elizabeth, Mary Stuart and many other famous women of history, down to Victoria, he exclaimed: "Greater, grander and more powerful than any of these is the American woman, and her empire is the American home."

And from Woodrow Wilson down the line we all agree that he was absolutely right.

High Cost of Living
Mr. T. A. Delany of this city, whose business takes him from Brockton, Mass., to San Francisco and back, has written me from the west as follows:

"Just came across a coast paper in which was written 'Mayor O'Donnell, of Lowell, Mass., asked that a federal investigation be made to ascertain the rapid advances in the cost of necessities of life.' I am enclosing a few clippings to show that the east and west agree on at least one question—the high cost of living."

Among the clippings enclosed was one from the Omaha Daily News reporting a mass meeting of 1500 packinghouse and stockyard workmen at which a resolution was unanimously adopted calling upon the federal authorities of that state to begin a probe of the cold storage monopoly.

Absentee Voting
Practical Politics, discussing the different measures to come up for consideration in the constitutional convention, in this week's issue had the following:

Absentee voting is going to be demanded by a certain group led by Congressman John Jacob Rogers of Lowell. The most progressive Massachusetts representative now in congress. To allow voters absent from home to deposit their ballots was advocated by Secretary of State Langtry and Attorney General Atty. in their report to the 1916 legislature. But they found that as the constitution now stands to vote for state officers the voter must personally cast his ballot, hence the question went over to the constitutional convention. It will be endorsed by the labor union and by traveling men. In theory it has much to commend it, but as a practical matter it presents some serious objections.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS
The following marriage intentions have been filed at the city clerk's office since the last were published:

Joseph M. Letendre, 281 Bolton, 13, machinist; Rose A. Poltras, Tyngsboro, 15, operator.

Vasilios H. Marathas, 353 Market, 29, moulder; Elene Gerakine, same address, 21, spinning room.

Wincenty Laskowski (widowed), 1 South, 30, operator; Franciszka Stupakowska, same address, 23, operator.

Francisco G. Orpino, 21 Bridge, 13, operator; Maria Ferrara, same address, 20, operator.

Charles Normandin, 671 Middlesex, 21, knitter; Alice Pelletier, 503 Fletcher, 15, housewife.

Edmond Philippe Fontaine, Jr., 17 Second avenue, 23, boiler-maker; Lolo Marie Mayrand, 712 Lakeview avenue, 20, window.

Edward J. Tarrant, 53 St. James, 34, clerk; Jennie C. Toles, 15 Alder, 27, at home.

Christy P. Petropoulos, Newport, R. I., 30, ice business; Vasilio Laures, 165 Worthen, 21, at home.

Arthur Smith, 257 Middlesex, 23, railway signaller; Anna M. Campbell, 15 Liberty, 26, nurse.

Allan E. Lalime, 234 West Sixth, 23, toolmaker; Susan L. Carriage, 521 Gorham, 24, shoemaker.

Frank Evans, 23 Potter, 22, iron moulder; Evelyn Gibson, 24 Grand, 22, at home.

Thomas E. Cassidy, 12 Madison, 29, machinist; Katherine V. Kelly, 485 Central, 24, weaver.

Eben Brennan, 42 North, 24, operative; Margaret O'Brien, 10 Riverside avenue, 20, housekeeper.

Walter J. Cleary, 59 Swift, 23, carpenter; Mollie A. Townsend, 734 Central, 21, at home.

Frank G. Gagnon, 32 Cedar, 30, mechanic; Eva M. Wedge, 153 E. 28, skiver.

Peter Roark, 43 Cedar, 31, clerk; Margaret Cryan, 32 Crosby, 30, at home.

Philip Felix Dube, 235 Appleton, 24, machinist; Diana M. Gagnon, 38 Broadway, 20, operative.

Michael J. Walsh, 138 Paige, 22, machinist; Rose E. Farrell, 74 Tyler, 20, operative.

Joseph A. Savaris, 150 Common, 22, shoemaker; Eugenia Tolopouzon, same address, 20, housekeeper.

Joseph C. Rechelewski, 136 Cheever, 24, machinist; Maria Anna Lavasseur, 103 Tucker, 24, Lawrence's history.

John Adamitis, 25 Coolidge, 23, operative; Elieni Arvaniti, 38 Prince, 23, operative.

Joseph Durhame, 781 Lakeview avenue, 20, butcher; Maria Teller, 12 Pawtucket, 20, spooner.

Eugene W. Knowlton, 58 Gates, 28, machinist; Yvonne E. Jacques, 25 Waterford, 22, nurse.

Ernest Lemire, 16 Common, 28, housewife; Fleur Ange Teller, 236 White, 27, at home.

George H. Riner, 50 Folsom, 23, helper; Salome Spera, 46 Race, 22, operative.

Barrett Bernstein, 111 Westford, 25, dentist; Rebecca L. Goldberg, Roxbury, 24, at home.

Edward J. Shaughnessy, 203 Fayette, 23, inspector; Anna C. O'Donnell, 34 Manchester, 23, Newton Mfg. Co.

Edgar Lewis Barker, (widowed), 55 Crowley, 42, owner; Elizabeth Emma Booth, 46 Cross, 45, district nurse.

Thomas J. Keller, 672 Middlesex, 25, mechanic; Annie McNamara, same address, 22, at home.

William J. (widowed), 152 Carbett, 37, operative; Octavia L'Esperance, (widowed), same address, 37, operative.

Elipheze Cole, 7 Dore, avenue, 25, manager; Rosanna Lozano, 5 Bowlers, 21, operative.

Samuel Boy, (widowed), 28 South Whipple, 43, driver; Anna Black, (widowed), Gorham, 36, at home.

Kenneth S. Church, 151 Princeton, 21, machinist; Elizabeth E. McCabe, 7 Oak, 20, at home.

James E. Anderson, (divorced), 728 Gorham, 48, barber; Inez Berthina, (widowed), 194 Middlesex, 35, laundress.

Ralph Richmond Richards, 147 Smith, 28, decorator; Lillian Grace Chase, Holyoke, 25, at home.

James P. Mallan, 25 Manchester, 27, locomotive fireman; Mary G. Brown, 27 South Whipple, 21, at home.

Robert L. Holmes, 263 W. Sixth, 27, machinist; Annie Mary McCreadie, 561 Central, 24, knitter.

Formidas Ducharme, 34-36 Worthen, 25, whitewasher; Anna Beaulieu, 165 Crawford, 18, operative.

Joseph E. Sullivan, 84 Maple street, pressman; Helen M. Reynolds, Cambridge, school teacher.

Edgar St. Hilaire, 15 Second avenue, 23, shoemaker; Jessie Young, 205 Salem, 24, shoemaker.

Ernest Bahr, 9 Center, 31, clerk; Alice Casey, 151 Central, 25, operative.

Leo Joseph Gagnon, 800 Moody, 15, clerk; Loretta Shyne, 26 Abbott, 22, at home.

John Melluch, 78 Tyler, 27, Cartwright shop; Mary Heenan, 234 Fayette, 23, velvet cutter.

Dana R. Hart, (divorced), 9 Waterford, 40, beamer; Alice R. Clifford, (divorced), same address, 30, at home.

Merrill W. Gammons, Roxbury, 27, grocer; Grace E. Dunn, 378 Parker, 33, at home.

William H. Scannell, 155 Ross, 20, clerk; Mary M. Cahill, 1125 Gorham, 20, young men—in the city, and though he modestly disclaims any credit for his part in keeping the wheels of a great manufacturing plant moving, officials of the company are not slow to acknowledge his worth.

Joseph, or "Joe" as he is called by his friends, went to work for the U. S. Cartridge company last January, before he had graduated from high school. Owing to his proficiency in his studies, he was awarded a diploma in June and by that time, he had demonstrated that he knows how to handle boys as well as to keep them out of mischief and to set their feet on the right road for the future.

Joe Boyd's desk is in the office entrance just inside the door of the Lawrence street approach to the big plant, and there he is to be found at all times except when the demands of his departments. On his desk is a card index of all his 32 messenger boys. On this index is noted their various tasks, and there also are filed all complaints concerning them. When 32 young men, full of animal spirits, are scattered through miles of departments, it is inevitable that there shall be complaints, but there is discipline, patient and judicial, ready to receive them all and to act on them promptly and justly. That he handles them with diplomacy is proved frequently by the fact that since he has been there, but two have been discharged. Yet there is no disposition on the part of the boys to take their boss lightly. Each boy is trained to do certain things and when they see the supervisor coming they begin to get busy.

When asked the secret of his ability to handle boys so well, Joe Boyd said it is because of his military training; for he was captain in the high school regiment and also in the O.M.U. Cadets. You cannot talk to him two minutes without hearing something about the cadets. It is his pet hobby and he does it with the organization. Is the finest military company in the world.

The present messenger service at the great plant was originated by Joe Boyd and he is still improving it. A little summary of what was accomplished for the six months' ending October 31 will give an idea of its scope. The mail service handled over 150,000 pieces of mail, records of which are on file on his desk. Four routes were established, some of which are covered by a boy on a bicycle. A system of mail tags helps to keep track of the boys and to settle disputes about collections. All boys were allowed a week's vacation, and Supervisor Boyd prepared a scale of wages and time. Each week a station chart is prepared, showing where on a messenger will be employed for the following week. The closing sentence from Joe Boyd's own report might fittingly close this deserved mention. Everything is done to make things as easy for the overseers as the service can possibly do, and any suggestion or complaint is immediately carried out or rectified.

LOWELL'S YOUNGEST DISCIPLINARIAN

Can you imagine a greater test of a boy's leadership than to put him in charge of 32 messenger boys? Many a man of ability to handle business affairs might quail at the task, but when the opportunity came to Joseph P. Boyd, supervisor of messengers and mail service at the U. S. Cartridge company, he rose to the occasion. Today he is one of the busiest boys—or

Again for \$1—While They Last This \$2.50 Aluminum Cooker

The cost of Aluminum has doubled since we ordered these lifetime Cookers. At present prices, this offer would be impossible. So, in all probability, after our supply is exhausted, it cannot be made again.

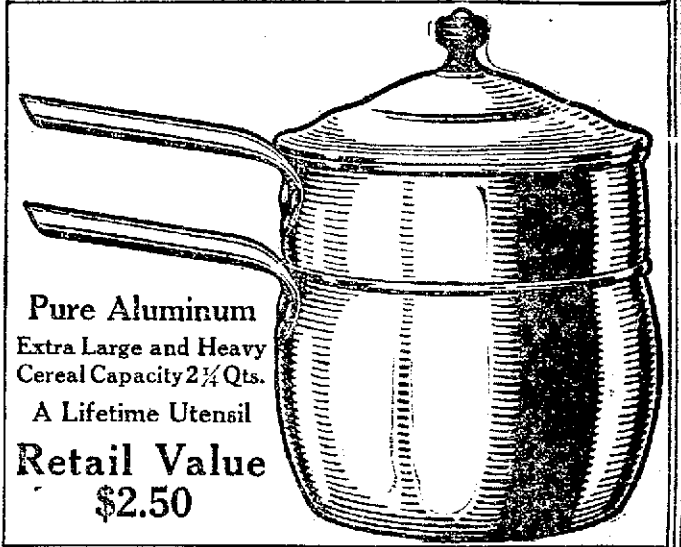
Next week the grocers of this city will once more feature this Quaker Cooker offer. And for the last time, we believe.

We have supplied Cookers now to over 1,000,000 homes. We have supplied \$2.50 Aluminum Cookers for \$1 to Quaker Oats users. But this offer ends with our present supply, and probably forever. Unless Aluminum drops 50 per cent, we cannot again offer a Cooker like this for \$1.

But next week only we make the offer below. You can get this Cooker for \$1, by buying two of our cereals which should be cooked in it.

This offer is made to induce better cooking. To bring you Quaker Oats and Pettijohn's cooked in perfect form, with the flavor kept intact. Our reward will come in your doubled delight in these foods.

We ask the trademarks just to show that you use our cereals. Unless you have the right flakes, right cooking does not help much. But, if you use Quaker Oats and Pettijohn's, this cooker is yours for \$1. This is for one week only. Get the packages from any grocer named below.



Pure Aluminum
Extra Large and Heavy
Cereal Capacity 2 1/4 Qts.
A Lifetime Utensil
Retail Value
\$2.50

One Week Only—Your Last Chance

Our Offer is This: Send us two trademarks cut from packages of Quaker Oats and one trademark cut from a package of Pettijohn's—the picture of the Quaker on the front of the Quaker Oats package and the picture of the Bear on the front of the Pettijohn's package—or, if you prefer, you may send us five trademarks from Quaker Oats alone. Send us \$1 with these trademarks and we will mail the cooker by parcel post. Trademarks must be mailed next week. This offer applies in this vicinity only. Address

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All the world over, Quaker Oats holds first place among oat foods. Oat lovers of a hundred nations send to us to get it. A billion dishes are consumed each year. Nowhere in the world do connoisseurs find any oat food to compare with it.

The reason is this: Quaker Oats is made from queen grains only—just the big, plump, luscious oats. No puny, starved grains are included. A bushel of the choicest oats yields only ten pounds of Quaker.

The result is a flavor which won the world—a flavor which is matchless. Yet these large and luscious flakes cost you no extra price.

Nature stores in oats a wealth of vitality, which everybody needs. We want you to know this fascinating vim-food, made as we make it and cooked in our way.

Pettijohn's

Rolled Wheat with 25% Bran Flakes
A Modern Bran Dainty

Every doctor advises bran, as essential to right living. It is Nature's laxative. Everybody every day should eat it. It means better health, better spirits, sunnier days. Without it, our diet of fine food forces folks to drugs.

Pettijohn's is made to meet doctors' requirements. The bran is hidden in flaky flakes of wheat. The food is a morning dainty which everybody likes. Yet it contains 25 per cent tender bran.

The bran is in flake form, which makes it doubly efficient. Ground bran will not do.

Try Pettijohn's one week. Note its delightful effects. Never again will you go back to a branless diet.

Then try Pettijohn's Flour. It is 75 per cent fine patent flour mixed with 25 per cent bran flakes. Use it like Graham flour in any recipe.

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Joseph Adams, 165 Lakeview ave.

J. M. Aguirre & Co., 70-74 Charles st.

Theodore Barillette, 299 West Sixth st.

Philip Brandy, 278 Fayette st.

O. A. Bepko, 121 Moore st.

T. J. Burke, 195 Mt. Hope st.

L. B. Burchard, 260 Adams st.

E. P. Brooks, 168 Lowell st.

H. J. Buchard, 24 Westford st.

Frank C. C. 408 Chestnut st.

W. H. Brown, cor. Gorham and Appleton sts.

W. S. Dymon, 519 Bridge st., cor. Sixth.

Ed. J. Dyer, 80 Salem st.

Omer Bernard, 600 Market st.

Philip Felix Dube, 235 Appleton.

A. B. Gibson, 21 W. Sixth st.

L. V. Gagnon, 205 Westford st.

T. Beaudoin, 42 Tucker st.

Wilfrid H. H. 461 Moody st.

Barlow's Market, cor. Merrimack and Prescott sts.

Marche Heaudry, S. Heaudry, Prop., cor. Allen and Cheever sts.

John H. Harke, 25-32 Coburn st., opp. West Third st.

Belleville & Son, 23 Allica ave.

Heaudry & Son, 277 Allen st.

E. M. Bowers, 71 W. Sixth st.

L. V. Gagnon, 205 Westford st.

R. S. Curcio, 1574 Middlesex st.

Daniel Cosgrove's Chapel Hill Cash Market, 168 Chapel st.

H. C. Gagnon, 1574 Middlesex st.

A. Gagnon, 265 Lincoln st.

J. B. V. Gagnon, Mammoth road.

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H. P. Daggan Co., 114 Concord st.

H. Downing, cor. School and Butterfield sts.

Laura Dayon, cor. Phillips st. and Broadway.

F. D. Donovan, cor. Mammoth road and Second.

C. Donahue, Concord st.

Dean's Market, Gorham st.

C. P. Devno, cor. Abbott and Central sts.

John Dolanowski, 90 Lakeview ave.

John D. Donahue, 260 School st., cor. Broadway.

A. Donohue, 742 Lakeview ave.

Farmy Grocery Co., 480-491 Westford st.

E. S. Fitzpatrick, 233 Westford st.

Frank F. Gagnon, 386 Bridge st.

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SOLVING THE RAILROAD PROBLEM

It is amazing what momentous issues are piling up for action by the coming short session of congress. The whole railroad problem will be taken up and acted upon in a manner that will completely change the situation throughout the country.

It has been evident for some time past, that the transportation system of the country had broken down in its capacity to handle the nation's business, and while there was at all points and at all times a demand for more efficient and more extensive railroad accommodation, the railroads failed to meet the situation. They even failed to prosper on their own account with the result that many of them have gone into bankruptcy in the midst of prosperity.

Experts now diagnosing the situation find that the roads were harassed by too many bosses and that those engaged in interstate commerce had to obey the orders of forty-nine masters rather than one, to wit, the forty-eight states and the national government.

The threatened strike by the Brotherhoods some months ago brought to a crisis another dangerous phase of the situation, showing how helpless are the roads, the public and even the government in the face of such an emergency under present conditions. There is here a great problem to be solved and one upon the proper solution of which will depend the future prosperity of this entire nation.

What is the remedy proposed for improved transportation and for protecting the public against strikes and lockouts?

Government ownership is favored by some; but that is too radical. It will not be government ownership but government control which will serve the same purpose and at the same time avoid the responsibility for the operation and financing of the roads. The plan contemplated is federal control of the roads and regulation of their securities together with incorporation of all roads under the national government. The powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission will be extended and there may be a special commission appointed to work under the new order of things.

This new legislation will relieve the railroads from state interference and crooked financing and the public from strikes and lockouts.

For each and every one of these steps there is today the most urgent need, and so far as the investigation of the whole problem by the Newlands committee has gone, the proper solution seems to rest in the direction here indicated. For legislation with these ends in view President Wilson will appeal to congress, and there is little doubt that it will be enacted.

The issue involved in the Adamson law will be merged in the general problem and settled in the interests of the public at large. Such a law as proposed will solve the complicated railroad question just as the federal reserve law settled the currency question and put an end to financial panics.

MR. BRYAN QUILTS NEBRASKA

While Mr. Bryan has received much praise for his part in the recent national campaign, he has had so little success in his own state of Nebraska that it is said he has decided to reside permanently in another state. Whether he leaves Nebraska in disgust is not quite certain, but it seems quite probable that he has met so many proofs of that old maxim that "a prophet is without honor in his own country" that he has determined to make his home in another state at least for a long period. He has dismantled his home at Fairview and sent part of his furniture to his winter home at Miami, Fla., and part to his summer home at Asheville, N. C.

This move may be due to the fact that Mr. Bryan was deposed as democratic leader in Nebraska by U. S. Senator G. M. Hitchcock, who was re-elected over Mr. Bryan's most vigorous opposition. In addition to this, Keith Neville, a comparatively unknown young man who was taken up by Hitchcock, defeated Charles W. Bryan, brother of the great leader, for the nomination for governor, and was subsequently elected. This is certainly a great humiliation to Mr. Bryan, coming from his own state; but it is politics, in which there is but little regard for merit or the fitness of things. The trouble between Mr. Bryan and Hitchcock started when through the latter's opposition the democrats refused to send Mr. Bryan as a delegate to the democratic national convention. There were other controversies between Mr. Bryan and the local leaders, all of which helped to intensify his feeling of indignity at such treatment. For this reason it is safe to say that Mr. Bryan has shaken the dust of Nebraska from his feet to reside at the hands of strangers the respectful consideration denied him by the politicians of his own state. On his departure he rejoices that he leaves the grand old state of Nebraska in the dry column and as such he is willing to commit it to the tender mercies of the Hitchcocks, the Nevilles and their machine.

PHILIPPINE FREEDOM

Out in the Philippines the new form of self government signed by President Wilson on August 29 was put into operation last week and in many respects it is one of the most notable experiments of the kind ever attempted by any government. It is certainly, as President Wilson could say, "justice with a heart in it" to bring the leaders of tribes reputed to be semi-barbarous into a representative congress to make their own laws on a plan similar to that of the most civilized nations. In that congress a full blooded Moro leader took his seat as senator while in the lower house were delegates from wild tribes, including the Igorots and the Ilangos, representing peoples that not so very long ago were associated with the most bloody deeds of savagery. It would seem as if the United States government by the magic spell of a confi-

dence and freedom has won the good will of all the Philippine tribes and started them on the highway of education, civilization and freedom.

There is a degree of glory that redounds to the justice, the unselfishness and honor of the United States in thus helping these people without any aim of holding them in permanent subjection or even of exploiting the resources of their islands.

As soon as the Filipinos are able to govern themselves with union and harmony, and to defend themselves against foreign foes, they will be given absolute freedom same as Cuba without any debt except that of gratitude to the nation that led them into the bright light of civilization.

INSPECTOR McDONALD

State Inspector Angus McDonald, in his initial statement to the Lowell public, announces that he comes "to educate not to persecute." The statement as to persecution seems superfluous although evidently made with the best intention. Lowell has never experienced anything in the line of persecution from Mr. McDonald's predecessors, and does not expect it from him. What the people do expect, however, is that he shall go through the city and weed out some of the fire traps by compelling proprietors to have the fire hazards removed.

There is much to be done in this direction; but we realize that the greater part of the hazards complained of are due to defects in our own building laws. However, it is well to know that Inspector McDonald means to see that the law in regard to fire protection is strictly obeyed. Nobody will accuse him of persecuting anybody while he is strictly enforcing the law. What the public dislikes is state inspectors who do not inspect.

BROCKTON ISSUE

Certain citizens of Brockton, a no license city, have declared that in the coming municipal election they will vote for license because almost as much liquor has been sold under no license as when the saloons were open. These citizens hold that the no license law unenforced has not improved conditions, while it has deprived the city of the money that would be paid for liquor licenses.

We are not aware that conditions in Brockton are as bad as reported; but if so, the fault lies with the police and other officials who have failed to enforce the law. It is they, not the no license law, that should be defeated at the polls.

POLISH FREEDOM

The Swiss government has decided not to recognize the new kingdom of Poland. To do anything else would be a breach of neutrality as part of the kingdom is on territory claimed by Russia and likely to be retaken later on. This freedom granted to the Poles and Lithuanians is given on the end of a bayonet. It may be death to refuse and equally death to accept. It

is a cruel position in which to place any people aspiring to be free, but coming from Germany it is offered as an inducement to the Poles and Lithuanians to throw their united strength into the war against the allies.

The fire department needs three new horses. Most people have had the impression that when the present horses gave out they would be superseded by tractors. The horseless fire department is bound to come, but for the present it may be more economic to wait until the horse vehicles are also worn out.

The ticket system is to be adopted to meet the food situation in Norway. The war is causing scarcity in all the neutral nations and the United States may suffer almost as much as some of the European nations unless steps be taken to prevent further export of the food supply.

At least in one court the Adamson law has got the floor.

Seen and Heard

Then in soiled Ruth Law, the greatest bird woman of them all—chickens not excepted.

Emerson knew what he was talking about when he said that nothing astonishes men so much as common sense and plain dealing.

Electrical Volts

A Columbus (O.) man called a newspaper office there to get some election news. He wished to know how many states had given their electoral votes to Hughes and how many had gone for Wilson. He did a little mental arithmetic and then asked another question. Here it is:

Well, how many electrical volts are there, anyhow?

He probably was a brother to the Indianapolis man who called to learn whether his favorite "had enough collateral notes to win."

Here's to Laughter

Here's to laughter, the sunshine of the soul, the happiness of the heart, the heaven of youth, the privilege of purity, the echo of innocence, the treasure of the humble, the wealth of the poor, the bread of the cup of pleasure; it dispels dejection, banishes blues and mingles melancholy, for it's the foe of woe, the destroyer of depression, the enemy of grief; it is what makes kings envy peasants, plutocrats envy the poor, the guilty envy the innocent; it's the sheen on the silver of smiles, the ripple on the water's surface, the gleam on the cheek of gladness; without it humor would be dumb wit would be withered, dimples would disappear and smiles would shrivel, for it's a glow of clean conscience, the voice of a pure soul, the birth cry of mirth, the swan song of sadness.—New York Herald.

A Little Better

"He loved mortals. He loved to be with them, he loved their laughter and covered their sorrows. One always felt a little better after an hour with him."

We glean this from a tribute to a man who died the other day at 30. Does any one ask a better epitaph? One always felt better after an hour with him, not because he lectured them on being good, he was too human for that, but because the whole spirit of him lifted up the spirit of the man who was with him, because he was whole and sound and true, with nothing of the meanness or the morose, morose like that, maybe more than one, whose smile in the morning sets up not feeling that the world is a brighter place, whose friendly words leave us a little ashamed of ever having thought the world was cold, whose own standards, not of his own making, but of a higher, nobler, make us realize that there are people, a good many people, who are trying to do the right thing, the clean, honest, unselfish thing. How large a part of our wealth, of any one's wealth who stops to realize on such assets as this man's friendship, comes from friends who make one feel for an hour with them.—Milwaukee Journal.

The Rush to Get Away

The American people are an impatient lot. It doesn't make any difference whether they have anything to do or not, they are always in a hurry. You can notice people any day in the week almost breaking their necks to catch a car when it really makes no difference whether they catch it or not. The average man will run a race to save a second at one end of the line or to get to the other end of the line. But possibly the most offensive thing we Americans do in the matter of hurrying is to break away from an entertainment before it is over. Take a party, for example. You are invited to enjoy the music and sit patiently

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enough through the program until the final selection—generally "The Star Spangled Banner." The moment the orchestra starts that piece, instead of rising and remaining at attention until the piece is ended, most of us grab our wraps and bolt out of the hall the moment the orchestra begins. It is an open-air concert, the confusion is all the greater. The automobiles around the hedges of the gathering begin sputtering and chugging and confusion breaks loose. By the time the final strains have been reached half the audience has left and no one can hear what is being played by the band.

It is no wonder that foreigners believe we have not a proper understanding of the importance of a national anthem. It is not strange that they should consider we are lacking in respect for our own country. We give that evidence every time "The Star Spangled Banner" is played and in our impatience to get away it appears we are disgusted with the sacred piece rather than impressed by it.—Dayton News.

Growing Old

"A little more tired at the close of the day.
A little less anxious to have our way;
A little less ready to scold and blame;
A little more care for a brother's name.
And so we are nearing the journey's end,
Where time and eternity meet and blend.

"A little less care for hands and gold;
A little more zest in the days of old;
A broader view of life and its meaning;
And a little more love for all mankind.
A little more careful of what we say;
And we are faring a-down the way.

"A little more love for the friends of youth;
A little more zeal for established truth;
A little more charity in our views;
A little less sting for the dog in the stew;
And so we are folding our tents away
And passing in silence at close of day.

"A little more leisure to sit and dream;
A little more real the things unseen;
A little bit nearer to those ahead;
With visions of those long-loved and dead;
And so we are going where all must go,
To the place the living may never know.

"A little more laughter, a few more tears,
And we shall have told our increasing years;
The book is closed and the prayers are said,
And we are a part of the countless dead.
Thrive happy, then, if some soul can say,
"I live because he has passed my way."—Selected.

IN BOSTON

The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

Telling Friends Of His Recovery

Jules Peregny, 503 Moody Street, Lowell, Gives Entire Credit To Plant Juice

Changing conditions have made all of us more or less susceptible to stomach disorder and its kindred afflictions. Civilization has forced people to get rich food rendered unfit by the use of artificial preservatives, and to never walk when they can ride. No wonder that they are susceptible to stomach ailments, which act like a fire-brand on the entire system, with the result that the liver, kidneys and intestines all become inflamed.

Plant Juice, the new herbal stomach remedy, supplies the body with the natural inorganic salts, which destroy the poison germs and build up the wasted tissues.

Many incidents where remarkably quick results have followed the use of this remedy are being cited daily by local people in signed testimonials. One of the latest is that of Mr. Jules Peregny, who lives at No. 503 Moody street, in this city, and is a well known citizen of Lowell, having resided here for the past 17 years. He stated:

"I have been troubled for 12 years with my stomach. I could not digest any food and had a heated, heavy feeling after meals; my appetite was very poor and what little I did eat did me no good. The pains around my heart frightened me, they were so severe; black spots would come up before my eyes, my liver was torpid and sluggish, which made me very dizzy at times. I was as constipated as a barrel and kept resorting to dosing with some medicine which gave me no permanent relief. After taking Plant Juice, I got so much relief from a month's treatment that it has put me on my feet again; I can eat my meals and enjoy them, I sleep well and am not nearly as nervous as I was; my bowels are regular and I feel better and stronger in every way. Of all the medicines I have taken, Plant Juice was the only one to give me permanent relief, and I am glad to recommend it to others."

"The Plant Juice Man" is at Dows, The Druggists, in Merrimack square, where he is daily meeting the local public and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy.

They Do Say

That even the price of cake has gone up.
That the football season is almost over.
That Harry Jenkins is some speech-maker.
That there isn't much romance in life these days.
That it is every man's privilege to run for office.
That some of the defeated candidates may try again.
That eggs are referred to now as "gold nuggets."
That those who are in will have to fight to stay in.
That police court is one of the saddest spots in Lowell.
That the Elks never forget their Christmas charity work.
That a Central street boy says there is no place like home after all.
That you may say what you will but booze and gasoline will not mix.
That some of them commit suicide and others take to writing poetry.
That a fellow who gets easy money ought not to have too much to say.
That the quiet campaigner makes votes while the other fellow spouts.
That it has gone down in history as the dearest primary ever held in Lowell.

That no-license doesn't seem to be making very much of a hit in Brockton.

That the mildest little girls are dressing to look like tigers and wildcats.

That it seems a man's age has something to do with his getting married in Nashua.

That water is clearer than champagne and the use of it leaves the head clearer.

That very few candidates seem to exercise good judgment in picking a manager.

That quite a number of Lowell people went to Boston to hear Billy Sunday yesterday.

That after seeing the tags it is easy to decide that turkey is not so wonderful after all.

That there's more logic in the blue eyes of a child than in the books of the philosophers.

That some will take pleasure in heaping insults on the ashes of an old and saddened ruler.

That some of 'em would have you believe that they knew all the time who would be nominated.

That Massachusetts will be in the dry column before the Middlesex street crossing is abolished.

That the book of marriage intentions in the city clerk's office is not altogether a book of joy.

That one cannot blame the chickens for putting on airs when eggs are selling at 70 cents a dozen.

That life would be pleasant if absent friends were as faithful correspondents as your creditors.

That many a man goes home in a condition in which he would be ashamed to be seen in church.

That judging from the comparison of the November temperature with past years, we're going to have a "hard winter."

That the model in a local gent's store is proving almost as attractive as the young ladies who promenade during the openings.

SOUTHERN COMMERCIAL CONGRESS AT NORFOLK

WHAT WILL HAPPEN AFTER THE WAR THE PROBLEM TO BE DISCUSSED

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 23.—What will happen after the war is the problem to be discussed at the convention of the southern commercial congress here December 11 to 14. It will be the eighth annual gathering of the congress and International Reconstruction has been chosen for its theme.

President Duncan U. Fletcher, senator from Florida, and other leaders declare that the changed outlook resulting from the war will greatly affect this country, and no section more than the south, and they hope to bring about a plan of action with which to meet the new order. Economic, agricultural, industrial, military, governmental, financial and commercial problems will be considered.

Acceptances already have been received from the following: J. P. Pennington, who has been invited to address the congress; Secretary of State Robert Lansing; John Skelton Williams, comptroller of the currency; secretary of labor, Wm. B. Wilson; secretary of the navy, Josephus Daniels; secretary of commerce, William C. Redfield; Frank A. Vandenberg, Dr. William Jennings Bryan; Don Joaquín Mender, the Guatemalan minister; Romulo S. Naeon, the ambassador from Argentina; Alberto Membrano, minister from Honduras; Carlos Manuel de Caspedes, minister from Cuba; Governor Willis of Ohio and Governor Purnoe of Illinois, and United States Senators Ransdell, Overman and Owen.

Seventy-seven set speeches at 12 sessions will be followed by open discussions in which all the delegates and guests will be free to participate. Coinciding with the meeting of the southern commercial congress six other organizations will hold their conventions under its auspices. They are the house of southern governors, the National Association of Commissioners of Agriculture, the southern cotton congress, the American Association of Agricultural Organizations, the Southern Commercial Secretaries Association, and the Woman's auxiliary of the southern commercial congress.

Secretary Daniels has ordered the Atlantic fleet mobilized in Hampton Roads while the congress is in session and the smaller vessels of the coast and gulf fleet, the bureau of navigation, the bureau of fisheries and the light house service will be assembled in Norfolk harbor for the inspection of the visitors. A review of the fleet is planned as one of the features of the congress. There will also be a military parade in which the Virginia national guard and other units of the fleet will participate.

The southern commercial congress is a union of effort on the part of southern commercial bodies and individual business institutions to educate the people of the United States, including the southern people themselves, as to the resources of that section. It is also a union of effort on the part of a greater nation through a greater south.



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QUAKER OATS COMPANY MAKES ANOTHER OFFER

The offer on an aluminum cooker recently made in this city by the Quaker Oats company and which was so eagerly accepted by thousands of housekeepers will be repeated next week, perhaps for the last time. The increased cost of aluminum, since this company placed its order for this last lot of cookers has advanced so high that it precludes all possibility of continuing this bargain on the old terms and it is only in event of the price of the metal dropping about fifty percent that this offer can be repeated after next week. It therefore behooves every wise home manager or any one else to whom this article would be of use to respond to this offer during next week.

The reason for this offer is to make known extensively the popular food product, "Quaker oats," which is recognized by food experts as the most nutritious breakfast food on the market. Quaker Oats is made from queen grains only, just the big, plump, luscious oats, for no starved grains are included in its preparation and flavor, which is matchless, is the result.

Despite the enormous increase in the price of food products Quaker Oats is still selling at the old price and accordingly this popular food comes well within the reach of the poor as well as the rich and its use will help greatly in reducing household expenses.

Pettibohn's is being highly recommended by doctors on account of the iron it contains, as this is very essential to right living. It is prepared to meet physician's requirements and can well be recommended as a morning daily, which everybody likes. Now is the time to act to get one of the aluminum cookers which figure in this offer. Buy the packages now, cut off the trademarks, enclose a dollar and address envelope containing name and address of sender, to The Quaker Oats Company, 1705 Railway Exchange, Chicago, Ill.

The terms of this generous proposition are known to the many who have already taken advantage of it, but best there be a number to whom a repetition of the conditions would be news they are now interested. The cooker is made of highest grade aluminum and has the extra large cereal capacity of two and one-fourth quarts. The regular market price of this utensil is \$2.50. During the next week

any person sending the Quaker Oats company, 1705 Railway Exchange, Chicago, two trademarks cut from packages of Quaker Oats and one trademark cut from a package of Pettibohn's—the picture of the Quaker on the front of the Quaker Oats package and the picture of the bear on the front of the Pettibohn's—or if it is preferable, five trademarks from Quaker Oats alone and one dollar, this cooker will be mailed parcel post immediately. Trademarks must be mailed no later than next week in order that the sender can participate in this splendid offer and receive its benefits.

EXCELLENT CONCERT

Weatherwax Male Quartet Gave Fine Program in Y.M.C.A. Course at First Baptist Church

The Weatherwax male quartet, vocalists and instrumentalists, presented a delightful program in the Y.M.C.A. star course at the First Baptist church last evening. The Weatherwax brothers are Asa A. William W., Lester F. and L. Tom.

The church was well filled and the concert was really one of the best ever given in a Y.M.C.A. course. The program was continued from the first number at 8 o'clock until the last at nearly 10, and there was not one dull moment during that time.

The four brothers sang splendidly and formed a trumpet quartet that was very pleasing. Two of the brothers, Lester F. and William W., are also excellent readers, and their numbers were well received. The program was as follows:

Hark! the Trumpet Buck
When Day Fades Buck
Quartet Gounod
Am Meer Schubert
Trumpets

Readings:—
The House by the Road Foss
Mother F. E. Brooks
A Memory and a Prayer Bangs
Lester F. Weatherwax

The Rosary Quartet
Miserere (Il Trovatore) Verdi
Quartet from Faust Gounod
Trumpets

Readings:—
Essay on Grass Riley
Raggedy Man Riley
William W. Weatherwax

Readings:—
The Church in the Wilderness Pitts
An Old Sweetheart of Mine Riley
L. F. Weatherwax
Di Leudman Proteroo
Quartet

Readings:—
Rivals Dunbar
All In Dunbar
W. W. Weatherwax
National Airs, Trumpets
Lullaby Brahms
Quartet

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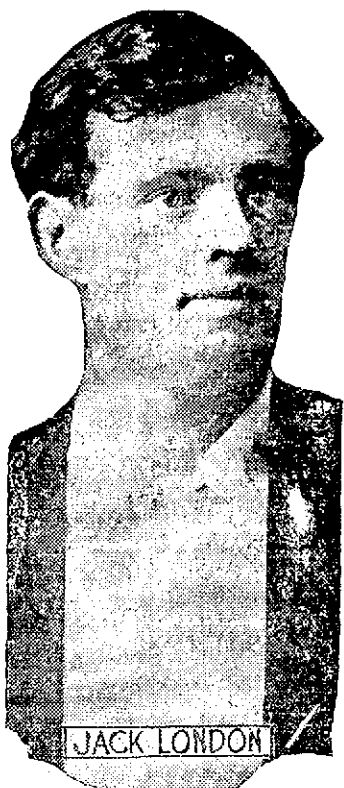
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LITTLE LIVER PILLS



JACK LONDON DIES SUDDENLY

Noted Author Found
Unconscious in Bed
at Santa Rosa, Cal.

Was One of America's
Most Popular Writers
—His Career



JACK LONDON

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Nov. 23.—Jack London, the novelist, died here at 7:45 last night. He had been reported seriously ill, and three physicians summoned to his ranch at Glen Ellen, near here, where he was found unconscious yesterday morning, expressed the opinion that the author-farmer's life was in grave danger.

London was found unconscious at 8 o'clock yesterday morning by a servant who went to awaken him. Local doctors were called in and they summoned a specialist from San Francisco.

The patient showed signs of recovery during the day, but suffered a relapse last night. He did not regain consciousness before he died. The doctors said he was suffering from uremia in a severe form.

Jack London, probably the most virile and distinctive figure among American novelists, was born in San Francisco Jan. 12, 1876, the son of John and Flora London.

He was educated at the University of California, but left college to go to the Klondike and never completed his course.

He went to sea as a fore-masthand in 1892, and spent the greater part of that year and the next one in trips to Japan and in seal hunting in the Bering sea.

During 1894 he travelled as a "choc" throughout the United States and Canada, making a study of sociological and economic conditions. During the Russo-Japanese war he served as a war correspondent.

For more than two years, between 1907 and 1909, he navigated his private yacht, the *Shark*, through the South Sea Islands and gathered material for many of his great short

stories of this part of the world. No better idea of the character of London can be given than the following, from his own pen, a part of an article written several years ago, and entitled "What Life Means to Me."

"I discovered that I did not like to live on the parlor floor of society. Intellectually I was sickened. I remembered my intellectual and idealistic, my unfringed pleasures, broken professors, and clean-minded, class-conscious workmen. I remembered my days and nights of sunshine and starshine, where life was all a wild, sweet wonder, a spiritual paradise of unselfish adventure and ethical romance. And I saw before me, ever blazing and burning the Holy Grail."

FUNERAL FRIDAY
SANTA ROSA, Cal., Nov. 23.—Jack London, the author, who died last night at his Glen Ellen farm near



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EVERY DAY ETIQUETTE

"Please tell me whether or not I should wear a hat to an afternoon church wedding where I have also been invited to the reception?" asked Bessie.

"I think it would be better taste to wear a hat, although you will undoubtedly see some guests there without hats," replied her aunt.

"When I take a sleeper should I dress in my berth or may I go to the dressing room in my kimono and dress there?" inquired Lucy.

"You may dress in your berth if you wish, but it is infinitely proper to walk through the aisle to the dressing room in a kimono," said her friend.

"I have an invitation to a wedding but cannot attend. What is expected of me in this case?" asked Gladys.

"You should send, on the day of the marriage, your cards to those who issued the invitations. Send one card for each name of the parties or party

here, spent his last conscious evening in writing. London complained of indigestion when he went to bed Tuesday night but notwithstanding sat propped up in bed writing a short story.

His physician attributed death to a "gastro-intestinal type of uremia."

The body will be taken to Oakland Friday for burial in the family plot.

BOY HURLS 1000 STONES BY ORDER OF COURT

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—"Never again, I'm through," said 10-year-old Leonard Crowder of Lynn yesterday afternoon after he had thrown 1000 stones in execution of a sentence levied on him at the morning session of the Lynn court by Judge Lummus.

The court order was issued in punishment of the boy because he stoned two Lynn children. A few days ago he hit John Buchanan of 22 Winthrop park avenue, Lynn, with a stone and inflicted injuries which resulted in the loss of one of Buchanan's eyes. The next day the boy threw a stone that hit and cut the head of a little girl living on South Shore avenue.

Judge Lummus heard the evidence at the juvenile session of the Lynn court. He was told that the boy is not a malicious child, but that he seems to have an overpowering fondness for throwing stones. The court then directed Probation Officer Thomas A. Farmer to take the boy to a section of a gravel pit and there to see that he threw 1000 good-sized stones. This was the method the court thought would cure the boy of his bad habit.

At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Officer Farmer and the boy left the latter's home and entered a gravel pit not far distant from the boy's home. Officer Farmer with paper pad and pencil in hand stood aside while the boy at the foot of a hill of stone began to throw stones. Each stone was thrown a distance of at least 50 feet at some object. When the number amounted to 10, Officer Farmer placed a cross on his paper, and when he had 10 crosses he put a mark through them to signify that 100 stones had been thrown.

The boy started throwing stones quickly. Soon his speed slackened, and the stones left his right hand more and more labor. When he had thrown 415 stones, he called to Officer Farmer that his arm pained him. The officer directed him to continue as he had to throw 600 more stones.

Officer Farmer placed a tin at a distance and had the boy aim stones at it, and later he had the boy throw at a large black cinder. At the expiration of nearly two hours, or to be exact, one hour and 55 minutes, the boy's right arm fell limp at his side.

The boy had thrown his 1000th stone.

THE MEXICAN BORDER

Men's Club of St. Anne's Church Hear Interesting Story of Soldier Life By Infantry Chaplain

Rev. Lyman Rollins of Marblehead, chaplain of the Fifth Infantry, M.N.G., gave an interesting address on soldier life on the Mexican border before the Men's club of St. Anne's church last evening. He described many incidents about army life which were new to most of the men present.

Rev. Mr. Rollins spoke of the inefficiency of the militia. He told of the Fifth being ordered to camp on a dump on the banks of the Rio Grande and of another like that the regiment was forced to make into a desert where no rain had fallen for a year and where no drinking water was available except the small quantity that had been shipped and which was distributed to the men only at the end of a day's march.

Speaking of religion Chaplain Rollins said that he preached to a thousand men every Sunday morning. The sermon was just 15 minutes long, but it had to be one straight from the shoulder. Just four topics could be preached on to soldiers and about everybody would know what the four were. The hotter the stuff the more easily they understood it. Gambling is a perfect passion in the army, he said. Shooting craps is the great game. After the men had been paid, two regular cruises over into the Fifth and in two days' time gathered up \$700, and then went back to their regiment. Not only that but the gambling passion was so great that some of the men got Mexican dancing beans—little beans with worms in them—and would take bets on which one of the beans would move first. Considerable money was won and lost on such amusements. Therefore, it would stand to reason that gambling would be one of the things to be hammered out, early and often.

Referring to the sale of beer at the canteen, or post exchange, the chaplain said that he favored it. He had every reason to hate liquor, he said,

but beer at the canteen was far better than the rotten booze of all kinds sold in the city. In fact the soldiers were always all right just as long as they stayed in camp. They were obedient and tractable and gentlemen. To keep them there was the problem, and show that idea in view he arranged a show or entertainment of some sort for every night in the week. He opened up a Bible study class and publicly baptized five men when on the border.

In connection with the little talk which he gave, Chaplain Rollins showed many pictures taken by him with the regiment.

WORCESTER ORGANIZER

Organizer Mary T. St. John of Worcester attended this week's meeting of Local 19-A, I.B.E.W., held in Odd Fellows building in Middlesex street.

LIVE WIRE CLUB

The first annual dance of the Live Wire Social club was held last evening in a private hall. There was a large attendance of friends of the club. Music was furnished by Gray's band orchestra. The officers in charge were: Mr. J. B. Gagnon, Miss Mae Boyle, Miss Della Lussier, George Mallinos, Arthur Simard, Mrs. Denault and Armand Denault.

TOTAL REGISTRATION

Yesterday was the last day for registration before the tax sections are closed for the last period for the year. When the office at city hall closed at 10 p. m., the names of 42 men and 70 women had been added to the lists, and the total registration of the year was 16,489 men and 6349 women. Following is the total registration by wards:

Men—Ward 1, 170; ward 2, 1007; ward 3, 2250; ward 4, 1280; ward 5, 1260; ward 6, 1855; ward 7, 2035; ward 8, 2280; ward 9, 2190.

Women—Ward 1, 701; ward 2, 230; ward 3, 902; ward 4, 532; ward 5, 449; ward 6, 817; ward 7, 991; ward 8, 1052; ward 9, 1096.

FIFTH STREET CHURCH

The men of the Fifth Street Baptist church conducted a Pathoscope motion picture entertainment in the vestry last evening. The program was divided into five parts, the first being the Pathoscope, which showed glimpses of interesting points and events from various parts of the world. "Animal Movements Analyzed," was the second of the series.

The third was a four-part dramatization of Dickens' famous novel entitled "Martin Chuzzlewit," and the cast of characters engaged in the silent interpretation included Allan Hale, Isabel Rex and others. Those engaged in the fun-making included Maude Schmitt, Fred Adams and Mabel Normand, all well known movie stars. The last was a series of motion views taken on the flagship Wyoming. The latter gave a good insight into the size, manner of equipment and general labors of those engaged on these fighting ships.

Doctors Agree On Eczema Remedy

Confirm the Statements About E. D. D. Prescription

Geo. T. Richardson, M. D.: "In my opinion, E. D. D. should be applied in all cases of skin disease—an immediate relief to the itch, a calm to excited nerves, soft, soothing, yet a powerful agent, a strength to the general system."

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Dr. G. H. Caldwell, Kansas, is one of the best skin specialists in the state. Write and ask him about E. D. D.

Druggists are glad to recommend this soothing, cooling liquid. 25c. 50c. and \$1.00. Come to us and we will tell you more about this remarkable remedy. Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. E. D. D. Soap is also available at about 15c.

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RELIABLE TIME AND LABOR SAVING UTENSILS ARE OFFERED AT SPECIAL PRICES FOR OUR ANNUAL PRE-THANKSGIVING SELLING. REALLY WORTH YOUR WHILE FOR ECONOMY'S SAKE TO BUY AT THIS SALE FOR FUTURE NEEDS.

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Size 10 in. x 15 in. 29c Each
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L. & G. GRAY ENAMELED OVAL ROASTERS
Self basting, size 11 in. x 16 in. Sale price \$1.98 Each

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Seamless, Self Basting and Sanitary. Every Roaster First Quality Enamelware
Size 0, roasts 6 lbs., price \$1.75
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Size 2, roasts 12 lbs., price \$2.25
Size 3, roasts 16 lbs., price \$2.50
Size 4, roasts 20 lbs., price \$2.75
Size 5, roasts 26 lbs., price \$3.00

CASSEROLES
Round or oval, fireproof, in handsome nickel frames, 60 patterns to select from. Prices \$2.69, \$2.75, \$2.98, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$3.98, \$4.25, \$4.49, \$4.75, \$4.98 and \$5.98.

COFFEE PERCOLATORS
Prices \$2.50, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$4.75, \$4.98, \$5.98 and \$6.98.

CARVING SETS

Genuine stag handles, fancy silver ferrules and plain silver caps, consisting of 3 pieces, 1 knife, 1 fork, 1 steel—
No. 29,000, special \$3.49 Set
No. 35,000, special \$4.98 Set

Flour Sifters 15c, 25c and 35c
Egg Beaters 10c, 15c, 19c, 25c and 35c
Rolling Pins 20c, 25c and 38c
Dish Drainers 20c, 25c, 38c and 50c
Sink Drainers 10c, 25c and 45c
Bread Knives 25c and 50c
Butcher Knives 50c
Mixing Spoons 10c, 12c and 25c
Pie Plates 4c, 5c, 10c, 14c, 15c, 16c
Pudding Boilers 50c, 60c and 69c
Paring Knives 10c, 15c and 25c
Strainers 10c, 12c, 20c and 25c
Cake Pans 20c, 25c, 28c and 38c
Furniture Polish 25c, 50c and \$1.00
Silver Polish 10c, 19c, 25c and 50c
Bread Boxes 59c, 79c, 89c
Crumb and Brush Sets 50c and 98c
Potato Mashers 10c, 15c and 25c
Potato Ricers 39c

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Positively the last
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Bleached Cotton—One case of bleached cotton, full pieces, yard wide; a 10c value, at 7c Yard
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Curtain Scrim—50 pieces curtain scrim, white, cream and ecru, with fancy woven borders; a 10c value, at 7½c Yard
Bates Gingham—3 cases Bates Gingham, in remnants, all new full patterns; a 12½c value, at 9c Yard

READY-TO-WEAR SECTION
Flannelette Petticoats—Ladies' petticoats, made of an excellent quality of outing flannel, in light colors only; a 39c value, at 25c Each
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Men's Wool Hose—Blue, black and gray; a 25c value, at 15c Pair
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Let the Foot Expert at this Store Tell You How to Obtain Instant Relief and Permanent Comfort

He has had years of experience in treating foot ailments, using the celebrated Dr. Wm. M. Scholl's successful methods, and has had many remarkable results. He will be here to give his services free to all

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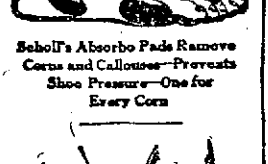
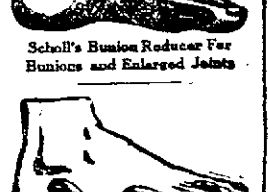
We urge every person within reach of this store, who has foot troubles of any nature whatever, to see this expert and learn how to obtain relief and comfort. It costs you nothing for his services. You will not be under obligation to buy anything.

HAVE YOU CRAMPS AND PAINS THERE?

Have you callouses—corns—bunions—sore, tired, aching feet—hot, tender, perspiring feet—pains in the heels, ankles and limbs—any foot troubles at all?

If you have, you should not fail to avail yourself of this opportunity to learn how to overcome your foot ailments and have perfect comfort.

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The original Turkish blend
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TEUTONS OVERRUNNING WESTERN WALLACHIA

Latest reports of the vigorous campaign Gen. von Falkenhayn is waging against the Rumanians indicate that the Teutonic forces are overrunning western Wallachia following upon their defeat of the Rumanians in the Jiu valley region and the capture of Craiova.

Austro-German Advance
Berlin has reported progress for the Austro-German armies that are extending the Teutonic front westward from the Jiu region towards Orsova.

The fate of the Rumanian army that was operating in the Orsova region yesterday remains in doubt, as does the extent to which the Russo-Rumanian forces in the Jiu valley were able to withstand the swift southward thrust of von Falkenhayn's troops.

Bridges Destroyed
Indications of the abandonment by the Rumanians of a large section of the Italian front were reported yesterday.

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TO PLACE NAVY FUEL OIL UNDERGROUND

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The navy is preparing to place its fuel oil supply at various navy yards in underground storage reservoirs to protect it from attack by hostile aircraft. An estimate of \$1,000,000 for additional storage space of this nature at the Guantanamo, Pearl Harbor, Puget Sound, San Diego, Mare Island and Narragansett Bay stations was explained today to the house naval committee by Rear Admiral Harpur, chief of the yards and docks. The six stations mentioned now have a surface tank oil capacity of 30,000,000 gallons. The new project would increase this supply by 55,000,000 gallons.

NEW SHIPYARD FOR MORSE
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The United States Shipbuilding company has bought 30 acres of land on the east bank of the Thames river near New London, Conn., as a site for a shipyard and will build a fleet of ocean-going freight steamers for its own use. It was announced here by Charles W. Morse, president of the company.

Mr. Morse said the construction of the plant would begin as soon as possible, that it probably would be completed within two years and would employ 4000 or 5000 men.

"At the start," said Mr. Morse, "we probably shall build a fleet of 10 ships at the new yard. They will be of 4000 or 5000 tons each, probably all of the same size."

KELLEY COMES BACK
Former Representative Wins Out in 45th Congressional District in Pennsylvania

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 22.—Former Representative M. Clyde Kelly, member of the 39th congress as a progressive republican, will be a member of the 45th congress as a progressive democrat, the completion of the official count of the 39th Pennsylvania congressional district minus the soldier vote showing Kelly a victor over the present congressman, W. H. Coleman, by 250 votes.

The soldier vote, which will be counted officially tomorrow, gave a plurality to Kelly in the unofficial canvass.

MORE SHIPS SUNK
LONDON, Nov. 22.—The British ship Grenada is reported sunk, says an announcement by Lloyd's shipping agency today.

The sinking of the Norwegian steamer City of Mexico is announced by the agency.

PRINCE ALEXANDER OF SERBIA VISITS WOUNDED COMPATRIOTS



PRINCE ALEXANDER OF SERBIA VISITS SICK SOLDIERS

With the Serbian soldiers again established on their native soil, at Monastir—although that city is only in "New Serbia," established by Balkan wars which preceded the great war—some following of the allies are already talking of rehabilitating the Serbian kingdom. A provisional capital of this kind has been set up in Monastir. Should King Peter of Serbia be set again on the throne from which

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

RECESSIONS MARKED THE INITIAL TRADING

BEARISH SENTIMENT AGAIN IN PERMIST—U. S. STEEL YIELDED POINT

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Substantial recessions marked today's initial trading, bearish sentiment being again predominant. U. S. Steel yielded only a fraction at the outset, but soon fell with a point. Machines were heavy with copper, losses in these groups ranging from 1 to almost 2 points. Various industrials, including the paper issues, as well as equities, were under pressure. Among the few exceptions to the general trend were Lackawanna Steel, Air Brake and American Smelting. A more even tone was shown before the end of the first half-hour.

Cotton Futures
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Cotton futures opened at 20.00, December, 20.05; January, 20.20; March, 20.35; May, 20.50; July, 20.57.

Boston Market
BOSTON, Nov. 22.—Copper shares were quiet in the early trading today. The tone was easier.

Exchange
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Exchanges \$11,743,513; balance \$31,188,585.

Recovery Quite General
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Recoveries of the last hour were quite general, substantial buying of specialties on their early decline being a factor. Copper, motors and shipping shares were strong, with petroleum and leather issues. Among the more active stocks, Lackawanna Steel rose over 2 points and Atlantic Gulf & West Indies over 1 point. Bethlehem Steel, a mid-day another selling movement, based in part on reports regarding the status of war contracts, caused fresh selling and renewed heaviness. Bonds were irregular.

Dividend Declared
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The American International corporation today declared a dividend of 10 cents per share on common stock payable Dec. 15 to stockholders of record of Dec. 15. Pierre du Pont was elected a director.

Reduction of Dealings
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Reactions of the mid-session were followed by another irregular and tentative recovery on a marked reduction of dealings. The market was somewhat unsettled and nervous, with a few active stocks, but the overall tone was one of uncertainty.

Closing Heavy
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Covering in the copper accounted for the temporary improvement in the last hour, but this was again offset by pressure against steel and hardening of money rates. The closing was heavy.

Cotton Futures Closed Unsettled
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Cotton futures closed unsettled. December, 20.05; January, 20.20; March, 20.35; May, 20.50; July, 20.57.

Money Market
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Money market, 3-12, 3.25; 15-30, 3.50; 60-90, 4.00; 1-3, 4.25; 1-6, 4.50; 1-12, 5.00; 1-18, 5.50; 1-24, 6.00; 1-30, 6.50; 1-36, 7.00; 1-42, 7.50; 1-48, 8.00; 1-54, 8.50; 1-60, 9.00; 1-66, 9.50; 1-72, 10.00; 1-78, 10.50; 1-84, 11.00; 1-90, 11.50; 1-96, 12.00; 1-102, 12.50; 1-108, 13.00; 1-114, 13.50; 1-120, 14.00; 1-126, 14.50; 1-132, 15.00; 1-138, 15.50; 1-144, 16.00; 1-150, 16.50; 1-156, 17.00; 1-162, 17.50; 1-168, 18.00; 1-174, 18.50; 1-180, 19.00; 1-186, 19.50; 1-192, 20.00; 1-198, 20.50; 1-204, 21.00; 1-210, 21.50; 1-216, 22.00; 1-222, 22.50; 1-228, 23.00; 1-234, 23.50; 1-240, 24.00; 1-246, 24.50; 1-252, 25.00; 1-258, 25.50; 1-264, 26.00; 1-270, 26.50; 1-276, 27.00; 1-282, 27.50; 1-288, 28.00; 1-294, 28.50; 1-300, 29.00; 1-306, 29.50; 1-312, 30.00; 1-318, 30.50; 1-324, 31.00; 1-330, 31.50; 1-336, 32.00; 1-342, 32.50; 1-348, 33.00; 1-354, 33.50; 1-360, 34.00; 1-366, 34.50; 1-372, 35.00; 1-378, 35.50; 1-384, 36.00; 1-390, 36.50; 1-396, 37.00; 1-402, 37.50; 1-408, 38.00; 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